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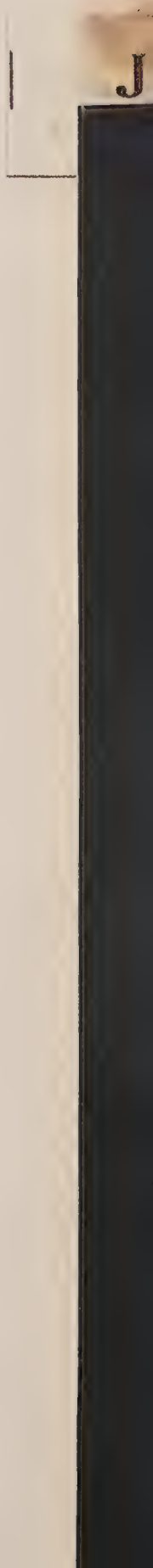

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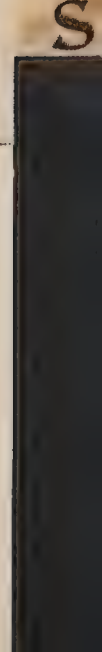

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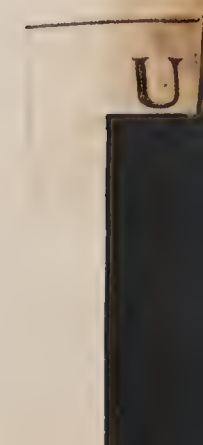

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Presidential and Gubernatorial Election 1900.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Tuesday the Sixth day of November next, at 6,30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To bring in one ballot their votes for

Fifteen Electors of President and Vice President of the ~~United~~ States.

Governor of the Commonwealth

Lieutenant Governor

Secretary

Treasurer and Receiver General

Auditor

Attorney General.

Representative in Congress Third District.

Councillor for Seventh District.

Senator for Fifth Worcester District.

Representatives in the General Court, Two for Tenth Worcester District

County Commissioner

Register of Deeds.

County Treasurer

The Polls may be closed at Four O'clock in the afternoon

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days

at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty ninth day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred.

John L. Brigham
Butler W. Hero
Adams F. Brown
} Selectmen of Westborough

Worcester, ss.

Westboro Nov 30.th 1900.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm Magner
Constable of Westboro

Westborough
November 6. 1900.

In pursuance with the foregoing Warrant the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in the Town Hall and were called to order at 6.30 o'clock in the forenoon by John L. Brigham, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen who proceeded to read the Warrant.

John E. Henry, William Halloran, Ballot Clerks
George F. Ewell, James B. Putnam, Tellers in charge of the check list were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. The ballots were delivered to the presiding officer who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.

The ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found empty, was locked and the keys were given to Constable George H. Rogers.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and every thing being in readiness the voting began

Luke Hannon
Arthur M Mourse
Orra M Robinson
George L Smith
Frank J Hannon
Jeremiah F Hogan
John Roche
Fred P Rogers

were duly sworn as Tellers by the Town Clerk.

It was unanimously voted by the Election Officers and Town Clerk to open the ballot box at 8.30 A.M. 10. AM, 12 M. 2 PM 3.30 PM for the purpose of taking ballots therefrom to facilitate counting votes cast.

At 8.30 AM. the ballot box was opened and two
234 hundred and thirty four (234) ballots taken therefrom.
At 10 oclock AM. the ballot box was opened and one
171 hundred and seventy one (171) ballots taken therefrom
At 12 oclock M. the ballot box was opened and
143 one hundred and forty three (143) ballots taken therefrom
At 2 oclock PM. the ballot box was opened and
121 one hundred and twenty one (121) ballots taken therefrom
At 3.30. oclock PM the ballot box was opened and
88 eighty eight (88) ballots taken therefrom
At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom the box was declared empty, locked and the key given to the Constable.

Voted to close the polls at 4.30 oclock PM. at which time the presiding officer declared the polls closed.

At 4.30 oclock PM the ballot box was opened
120 and one hundred and twenty ballots taken therefrom
877

November 6. 1900.

The presiding officer announced that eight hundred and seventy seven (877) ballots had been distributed and eight hundred and seventy seven (877) names had been checked on the lists of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 877.

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared and read by the Assistant Town Clerk at 6.20 o'clock P.M. as follows.

For Electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

At Large

Thomas Wentworth Higginson of Cambridge had Two hundred and sixty three 263

Thomas J. Gargan of Boston had Two hundred and sixty three 263

Charles S. Grieves of Amesbury had fourteen 14

Herbert L. Wood of Brockton had fourteen 14

Patrick O'Keefe of Salem had Five 5

John A. Henley of Lynn had Five 5

Roger Wolcott of Boston had Five hundred and thirty eight 538

William Whiting of Holyoke had Five hundred and thirty eight 538

Edward Kendall of Cambridge had Sixteen 16

John Bascom of Williamstown had Sixteen 16

Blanks 82

District No 1.

William Nugent of Pittsfield had Two hundred and sixty three 263

Leon S. Oliver of Westfield had Fourteen 14

Henry Hoffe of Holyoke had Five 5

November 6. 1900

James W Toole of Holyoke had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
Thomas A. Friscell of Hinsdale had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

District No 2.

Charles J. Bellamy of Springfield had
Two hundred and sixty three 263
William H. Lawler of Springfield had Fourteen 14
James Noonan of Springfield had Five 5
Charles E. Stevens of Ware had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
Oliver W Cobb of Easthampton had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

District No 3.

Eben S. Stevens of Dudley had
Two hundred and sixty three 263
Charles E. Fenner of Worcester had Fourteen 14
Walter J Hoar of Gardner had Five 5
Josiah Perry of Dudley had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
William H. Nash of Worcester had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

District No 4.

Robert E Bisbee of Pepperell had
Two hundred and sixty three 263
John P McDonald of Clinton had Fourteen 14
Francis H. Taylor of Fitchburg had Five 5
Josiah P. Thacher of Littleton had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
Alfred L. Cutting of Weston had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

District No 5.

Nathan D. Pratt of Lowell had
Two hundred and sixty three 263
James A. Wilkinson of Methuen had Fourteen 14
John F Bradley of Woburn had Five 5
William Begg of Woburn had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
William W. Sherman of Lowell had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

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District No 6.

Arthur Withington of Newburyport had
Two hundred and sixty three. 263
George L. Evans of Haverhill had Fourteen 14
Burton C. Woodbury of Haverhill had Five 5
Arthur D. Story of Essex had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
Frank H. Rand of Haverhill had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

District No 7.

Thomas E. Dwyer of Wakefield had
Two hundred and sixty three 263
Ernest W Timson of Lynn had Fourteen 14
John Welton of Chelsea had Five 5
George L. Morse of Melrose had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
George H. Harwood of Lynn had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

District No. 8.

Henry T. Schaefer of Winchester had
Two hundred and sixty three 263
John A. Aitken of Cambridge had Fourteen 14
Herman W.A. Kaasch of Boston had Five 5
William H. Dwyer of Boston had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
George E. Crosby of Medford had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

District No 9.

Thomas F. Keenan of Boston had
Two hundred and sixty three 263
Morris Kaplan of Boston had Fourteen 14
William H. Young of Boston had Five 5
Henry C. Richardson of Boston had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
Herbert B. Griffin of Winthrop had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

District No 10.

Richard Sullivan of Boston had
Two hundred and sixty three. 263
William M. Packard of Quincy had Fourteen 14
William H. Carroll of Boston had Five 5
John Shaw of Quincy had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
Samuel F. Smith of Quincy had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

District No 11.

John H. Lee of Boston had
Two hundred and sixty three 263
David M. Chase of Boston had Fourteen 14
Arvide Olson of Hyde Park had Five 5
Eben S. Draper of Hopedale had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
Samuel B. Shapleigh of Boston had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

District No 12.

Albert P. Worthen of Weymouth had
Two hundred and sixty three 263
Samuel G. Smith of Brockton had Fourteen 14
Thomas L. Leonard of Taunton had Five 5
Wilmon W. Blackmer of Hingham had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
Edward G. Knight of Hull had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

District No 13.

Charles R. Codman of Barnstable had
Two hundred and sixty three 263
Lawrence Postlinger of New Bedford had
Fourteen 14
Knight Wilde of Fall River had Five 5
Edmund Anthony Jr of Fairhaven had
Five hundred and thirty eight 538
Elijah Humphries of New Bedford had Sixteen 16
Blanks 41

November 6. 1900.

For Governor

Michael J. Berry of Haverhill had Ten	10
Charles W. Bradley of Haverhill had Twenty nine	29
W. Murray Crane of Dalton had Five hundred and fourteen	514
John M. Fisher of Attleborough had Sixteen	16
Robert Treat Paine Jr. of Boston had Two hundred and sixteen	216
Blanks	12

For Lieutenant Governor

John L. Bates of Boston had Five hundred and five	505
John B. O'Donnell of Northampton had Two hundred and seventeen	217
Wilbur M. Purrington of Williamsburg had Fifteen	15
Moritz E. Ritter of Holyoke had Fourteen	14
George H. Brown of Springfield had Twenty five	25
Blanks	101

For Secretary

Addison W. Barr of Worcester had Twenty five	25
Alfred E. Jones of Everett had Thirteen	13
William M. Olin of Boston had Five hundred and eight	508
William H. Partridge of Newton had Fifteen	15
Luther Stephenson of Hingham had Two hundred and six	206
Blanks	110

For Treasurer

Edward S. Bradford of Springfield had Five hundred and two	502
Joseph L. Chalifoux of Lowell had Two hundred and four	204
Napoleon B. Johnson of Milford had Sixteen	16
Fred A. Nagler of Springfield had Eleven	11
Stephen O'Shaughnessy of Boston had Twenty six	26
Blanks	118

November 6. 1900.

For Auditor.

Elbridge Gerry Brown of Brockton had
Two hundred and sixteen 216
Frank Albin Forestrom of Worcester had
Sixteen 16
William G. Merrill of Malden had
Ninety four 94
Henry E. Turner of Malden had
Four hundred and sixteen 416
Frank S. Walsh of Brockton had Twenty three 23
John W Kimball of Fitchburg had One 1
Blanks 111

For Attorney General.

John A Billings of Rockland had Twenty two 22
Allen Coffin of Nantucket had Eighteen 18
John C Crosby of Pittsfield had
Two hundred and six 206
Hosea M Knowlton of New Bedford had
Five hundred and three 503
Frank MacDonald of Stoneham had Seventeen 17
Blanks 111

For Representative in Congress.
Third District Massachusetts

John K Thayer of Worcester had
Three hundred and eighty ~~six~~ seven 387 ~~386~~
Charles G. Washburn of Worcester had
Four hundred and forty ~~six~~ five 445 ~~446~~
Blanks 45

For Councillor.
Seventh District

Charles M. Day of Winchendon had
Two hundred and forty five 245
Lucius Field of Clinton had
Five hundred and sixteen 516
Blanks 116

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November 6 1900.

For Senator, Fifth Worcester District.

Cornelius R. Gray of Blackstone had
Five hundred and thirteen 513
Adrian Scott of Blackstone had
Two hundred and forty seven 247
Blanks 117

For Two Representatives
in General Court.

Tenth Worcester District

Horace G Adams of Mendon had
Four hundred and ninety six 496
George P. Cooke of Milford had
Two hundred and forty six 246
William E. Dixon of Mendon had
Sixty five 65
Edward L. Osgood of Hopedale had
Four hundred and fifteen 415
George L. White of Milford had
Eighty Three 83
Blanks 499

For County Commissioner, Worcester.

John G. Bowlen of Southbridge had
Two hundred and forty five 245
Emerson Stone of Spencer had
Five hundred and twenty six 526
Geo. F. Parker had One 1
Blanks 105

For Register of Deeds
Worcester District.

Daniel Keith of Worcester had
Five hundred and twenty five 525
James H. Mc Govern of Worcester had
Two hundred and forty two 242
Blanks 110

November 6 1900.

For County Treasurer. Worcester.

Edward A. Brown of Worcester had
Fivehundred and twenty six 526

Oscar Stunmway of Webster had
Two hundred and forty one 241

Blanks 110

After the declaration of the result of the voting the ballots used and unused together with the check lists were sealed and attested by the Election Officers and delivered to the Town Clerk in accordance with the statutes.

The necessary returns to the Secretary of the Commonwealth were filled out and signed by the Selectmen and Town Clerk, after which it was voted to adjourn without day. The presiding officer accordingly declared the meeting dissolved.

Attest. F. W. Bullard.
Town Clerk.

Hopedale Mass
November 16. 1900

At a meeting of the Town Clerks of District No Ten. County of Worcester it appeared by the returns that.

Horace C Adams of Mendon had in	Hopedale	311
" " " " " "	Mendon	146
" " " " " "	Milford	813
" " " " " "	Upton	280
" " " " " "	Westborough	496
		2046
George P. Cooke of Milford had in	Hopedale	62
" " " " " "	Mendon	32
" " " " " "	Milford	1025
" " " " " "	Upton	124
" " " " " "	Westborough	246
		1489
William E Dixon of Mendon had in	Hopedale	20
" " " " " "	Mendon	20
" " " " " "	Milford	185
" " " " " "	Upton	17
" " " " " "	Westborough	65
		307
Edward L. Osgood of Hopedale had in	Hopedale	253
" " " " " "	Mendon	89
" " " " " "	Milford	694
" " " " " "	Upton	195
" " " " " "	Westborough	415
		1646
Georg R White of Milford had in	Hopedale	11
" " " " " "	Mendon	4
" " " " " "	Milford	257
" " " " " "	Upton	19
" " " " " "	Westborough	83
		374
D J. Sullivan of Milford had in	Milford	1
Julius A George " "	"	1
Jesse Jones	" "	1
Defective ballots	"	18

Blanks.		Hopedale	111
Mendon	53	Milford	1113
Upton	225	Westborough	449

Total of Blanks 1951

Total vote in District 7834

We, the Town clerks of the several towns of the 10th. Representative District, Worcester County, certify that the above is a true statement of the returns of votes cast on the 6th day of November 1900, for Representatives to the General Court, made to us by the Selectmen of the towns in said District.

David A. Wescott. Town clerk of Hopedale.
Horace C. Adams Town clerk of Mendon
John T. McLoughlin Town clerk of Milford
Francis T. Nelson Town clerk of Upton
Frank W. Bullard Town clerk of Westborough.

Horace C. Adams of Mendon and Edward L. Osgood of Hopedale having pluralities of all the votes cast were declared elected and certificates of election issued

Hopedale, Mass.
November 16, 1900.

Attest. F. W. Bullard.
Town clerk.

Westborough, Mass, February 23, 1901

This is certify that in conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth, I have this day destroyed by burning all the ballots cast in the elections held on the sixth day of November 1900.

Attest. F. W. Bullard.
Town clerk.

Westborough, Mass., November nineteenth 19
1900

We hereby certify that we have this day perambulated
the Town Lines between the Town of Westborough
and Grafton, beginning at the corner found between
the Towns of Westborough, Shrewsbury and Grafton
and found all monuments in their proper positions
(except the 14th monument, which was nearly fallen
down, and which we reset in an upright position)
and renewed the marks thereon as required by law.

Number of monuments 14.

Edward A. Estabrook.
Selectman of Grafton.
Adams F. Brown
Selectman of Westborough.
John E. Henry.
By appointment.

Westborough, Mass., November nineteenth A. D.
1900

We hereby certify that we have this day perambulated
the Town Lines between the Towns of Westborough
and Upton and found all monuments in their
proper position, and renewed the marks thereon
as required by law.

Number of monuments, 7.

W. H. Wellington
Albert Sadler
Selectmen of Upton.
Adams F. Brown
Selectman of Westborough
John E. Henry.
By appointment.

Westborough. Mass, December third A. D. 190[illegible].

We hereby certify that we have this day perambulated the Town Line between the Towns of Westborough and Shrewsbury and found all monuments in their proper positions and renewed the marks thereon as required by law.

Number of monuments, 7.

H. S. Ball.
Geo. H. Perry } Selectmen of Shrewsbury.
Butler W. Hero.
Selectman of Westborough.

Westborough, Mass., December Tenth A. D. 190[illegible]

We hereby certify that we have this day perambulated the Town Lines between the Towns of Westborough and Northborough, and found all monuments in their proper positions and renewed the marks thereon as required by law.

Number of monuments, 7.

Geo. F. Brigham.
F. D. Priest. } Selectmen of Northborough.
Adams F. Brown.
Selectman of Westborough.
[illegible] E. [illegible].
By appointment.

Westborough, Mass., December twentieth A. D. 1900.

We hereby certify that we have this day [illegible] the Town Lines between the Towns of Westborough and Southborough and found all monuments in their proper positions and renewed the marks thereon as required by law.

Number of monuments 10.

Francis D. Newton.

For Selectmen of Southborough.

Butler W. Hero. } Selectmen of
Adams F. Brown } Westborough.

John E. Henry.

By appointment.

Peoples' Savings Bank,
Worcester, Mass., January twenty-eight 1901.

To the Chairman,
Board of Selectmen,
Westboro', Mass.

Dear Sir:

In compliance with statute, section 37, Chap. 37, Acts of 1898, I herewith notify you that this Bank has on deposit $1000 standing to the credit of the Town of Westboro' Cemetery Fund — Perpetual Fund.

Yours Truly,
C. M. Bent.

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company
of Massachusetts.

You are hereby notified that you are duly authorized by vote of the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Westborough, Massachusetts to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the following named streets and highways of said town.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications. Poles shall be of a length, size and material and the wires thereon shall be at a height and placed in a manner satisfactory to the Board of Selectmen.

A copy of this permit is recorded in the records of the town of Westborough, Massachusetts. Vol 8. page 17.

F. W. Bullard
Town Clerk.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to.
Milk Street, from Main to Fay Streets,
Parkman Street, from Main to Grove Streets,
West Main Street, from Parkman Street to residence of Mr Bates,
Ruggles Street, from West Main Street to residence of Mr Stanbridge,
South Street, from Brigham Street to residence of Mr Mason
Brigham Street, from Newton's Stable to Armour Beef Co.,
Beach Street, from South Street to Locomobile Works.
Said poles shall be painted.

Signatures of Selectmen

John L. Brigham
Butler W. Hero
Adams F. Brown

Date February 16, 1901.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the Fourth day of March 1901, at 6.30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to hire money for town purposes in anticipation of tax collection.

" 3. To see if the Town will choose a committee to consider appropriations for the ensuing year, and to report at an adjourned meeting.

" 4. To bring in on one ballot their votes for the following Officers: Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three Assessors, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, One Overseer of the Poor, One member of school committee, Auditor, one member of Board of Health, Three Trustees of Town Library, Nine Constables, one trustee of Cemeteries, Water Commissioners, Sewer commissioners, two sinking fund commissioners, Tree Warden, and to vote Yes or No, on the question "Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this Town?"

ticle 5. To choose all other necessary Town Officers.

" 6. To hear and act upon the reports of the Various Town Officers.

" 7. To hear and act upon the reports of any outstanding committees.

" 8. To see if the Town will accept the list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen.

" 9. To see if the Town will instruct the Sewer and Water Commissioners to employ a Superintendant for both departments for the ensuing year or act anything in relation to the same.

" 10. To see if the Town will pay the Water Department for the use of Hydrants.

" 11. To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog Fund.

" 12. To see if the Town will maintain a Night Watch, or act anything thereon.

" 13. To see if the Town will appropriate money for sidewalks and crossings.

" 14. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Highways and Bridges.

" 15. To see what measure the Town will take to light its Streets and Public Buildings.

" 16. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Memorial Day.

" 17. To see what salaries the Town will pay its Town Officers.

Article 18. To see what compensation the Town will pay the members of the Fire Department.

" 19. To see if the Town will print its unpaid tax list.

" 20 To see if the Town will print its Valuation and Tax List.

" 21. To see what sum of money the Town will appropri for the support of its Public Library.

" 22. To see what sum the Town will appropriate for expenses of the Board of Health.

" 23. To see if the Town will appropriate money to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating Liquors.

24. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Water Sinking Fund.

" 25. To see if the Town will adopt the metre system for the sale of its water.

" 26. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Sewer Sinking Fund.

27. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Sewer Maintenance.

" 28. To see if the Town will appropriate money for salary of Superintendant of the Sewer and Water Departments.

" 29. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the selling out and maintenance of public shade trees.

" 30. To see if the Town will refund the whole or any part of its Floating Debt.

Article 31. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase land for gravel.

" 32. To see if the Town will grant to the School teachers the free use of the Town Hall for their annual entertainment for the benefit of the schools, or act anything thereon.

" 33. To appropriate money for current expenses, and grant an amount sufficient to cover all appropriations made under this Warrent.

The Polls shall remain open till three o'clock in the afternoon, when the time of closing may be fixed by vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty first day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and one.

John L. Brigham
Butler W. Hero.
Adams F. Brown
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss. Westboro. February 23rd 1901.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Magner.
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough. Mass.
March 4. 1901.

In pursuance with the foregoing warrant the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in Town Hall and at 6.30 o'clock A. M. were called to order by the Town Clerk, who proceeded to read the Warrant and under

Article 1. John W. Slattery was chosen Moderator.

" 2. Voted, That for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the town of Westborough Mass. in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year, the town treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to borrow from time to time, with the approval of a majority of the board of Selectmen, a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate Thirty Thousand Dollars, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town therefor, payable within one year from the time the loan is made. Any debt or debts incurred by a loan or loans to the town under this vote shall be paid from the said taxes of the municipal year. The vote was unanimous.

" 3. Voted, That the Moderator appoint a committee of nine voters to consider the matter of appropriations for the ensuing year and report at an adjourned meeting.

The Moderator appointed the following named persons as the committee.

John L. Brigham.
George A. Ferguson. Thomas C. Reilly.
Michael J. Linnane. Frank V. Bartlett.
George L. Smith. Frank W. Forbes.
George J. Jackson. A. Porter Brown.

Article 11. Voted, That the town proceed to ballot for the following town officers, viz.,
One Clerk, three Selectmen, three assessors, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, One Overseer of the Poor, One member of school committee, Auditor, one member of Board of Health, Five Trustees of Town Library, Nine Constables, one Trustee of Cemeteries, Water Commissioners, five Commissioners, two sinking fund Commissioners, Five Wardens, and to vote Yes or No on the question "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this Town?"

The Ballot Clerks,
John E. Henry, John Roche, Timothy W. Earley.
Tellers in charge of check list,
George F. Ewell. James B. Tilton.
together with the Tellers
Luke Fannon, Frank J. Fannon.
Arthur M. Nourse. Jeremiah F. Hogan.
Orra M. Robinson. William Halloran.
Frank W. Forbes Fred P. Rogers.
were duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

The ballots were delivered to the Moderator who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.
The ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found and declared empty, was locked and the keys given to Constable George H. Rogers.
The register of the ballot-box was set at 0000.
The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness the voting began.

Voted unanimously voted by the Moderator, the Town Clerk, and election officers to open the ballot box at 9, 11 A. M. and 1.30 P. M. for the purpose of taking ballots therefrom to facilitate counting votes cast.

At 9 o'clock A. M. the ballot box was opened
237. and two hundred and thirty-seven (237) ballots taken therefr
At 11 o'clock A. M. the ballot box was opened and
31. one hundred and thirty one (131) ballots taken therefrom
At 1.30 o'clock P. M. the ballot box was opened and
309. three hundred and nine (309) ballots taken therefrom.
At all the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked, and the keys given to the Constable.

Voted, That when this meeting adjourns it adjou to 9 o'clock A. M. Monday, March 18. 1901.

Voted to close the polls at 4 o'clock P. M.

At 4 o'clock P. M. the Moderator declared the ballot closed.

At 4 o'clock P. M. the ballot box was opened and
95. ninety five (95) ballots taken therefrom.
772 men. Also one ballot for school committee cast by a female voter
1 woman

The Moderator announced that seven hundred and seventy-three (773) ballots had been distributed and seven hundred and seventy three (773) names had been checked on the lists of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 773.

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared at 6.30 o'clock P. M. as follows:

Town Officers.

Town Clerk. * Frank W. Bullard.

Selectmen. * Adams Franklin Brown. * Everett A. Hersey. * Thomas H. Reilly.

* Sworn

Assessors.	* Daniel P. Day. * Edward F. Gilmore. * Alex! B. Ward
Treasurer.	* Otis K. Newton.
Collector.	* Frank W. Bullard.
Overseer of Poor 3 years.	* Ulrich Francis.
Auditor.	* Joseph S. Gates.
School Committee 3 years.	* Irving E. Walker.
Board of Health. 3 years.	Charles L. Henry.
Trustees of Public Library. 3 years.	Francis E. Corey. Edwin B. Harvey. Emma S. Nourse.
Constables	* Marshall T. Baker. * Dexter P. Brigham. * John Dee. Frederick K. De Wolf. * Walter B. Fourtain. * William Wagner. * Arthur H. Newton. * George H. Ayers.
Trustee of Cemeteries. 5 years.	Emory L. Wood.
Water Commissioner 3 years.	Frank V. Bartlett.
Sewer Commissioner. 3 years.	Frank V. Bartlett.
Sinking Fund Commissioner. 1 year.	John L. Brigham.

Sinking Fund Commissioner } George L. Smith.
3 years.

Tree Warden. Charles S. Henry.

Licenses. Yes. 319. No. 409.

The ballots used and unused, together with the check lists were sealed, attested by the election officers and delivered to the Town Clerk, as the law directs.

Adjourned to Monday, March 18, 1901.
" 9 o'clock A. M.

Office of Town Clerk
Westborough.
Worcester County Mass.
March 4, 1901

Adams F. Brown Esq
Westborough Mass.

Dear Sir:-

In accordance with Section 4 Chapter 423, Acts of 1893, you are hereby appointed

Assistant Town Clerk

for the Town of Westborough, Mass. to take effect at this date.

F. W. Bullard.
Town Clerk.

[L.S]

Sworn by F. W. Bullard. Town Clerk.

Westborough. Mass.
March 18. 1901.

Town assembled as per adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator.

Article 5. Under this article Officers were chosen as follows

Field Drivers.
- # James Walsh.
- # Fred R. Forbush.
- Edward F. Brigham.
- Richard M. Smalley.
- # Frank W. Peckham.
- # Lester L. Leighton.
- # Percival A. Sawtelle.
- # George E. Walker.
- # Jabez A. Fisher.
- William H. Crowe
- Melvin A. Macker.
- # Arthur E. Fairbanks.
- # Harry R. Fessenden.

Fence Viewers.
- # John D. Welts.
- # Prescott Sibley.
- # John W. Slattery.

Measurers of Wood.
- # Harry W. Kimball.
- # Nathan M. Knowlton.
- # John S. Nason.
- # Frederick W. Kimball.
- # Frederick A. Pratt.

Surveyors of Lumber.
- # Harry W. Kimball.
- # Nathan M. Knowlton.
- # John S. Nason.
- # Frederick W. Kimball.
- # Frederick A. Pratt.

* Sworn.

Article 6. Voted. That the Treasurer be, and hereby is instructed to keep a debit and credit account with each department or board of officers incurring town expense, and to cause all such accounts to be continuous from year to year.

Voted That the Treasurer in opening his accounts for the current financial year, be, and hereby is instructed to charge each department with the amount overdrawn for its support the last financial year as shown by such departments specific report, and in the same manner to credit each department with the unexpended balance shown in its own report

Voted That the reports of various town officers be laid upon the table and specially assigned for action at 2.30 o'clock. P. M.

" 7. Report of the Committee appointed to consider the claim of L. N. Fairbanks and others, regarding alleged obstruction in the Issabet River, was read by M. H. Walker as follows:

The Committee appointed to consider the claim of L. N. Fairbanks and others, regarding alleged obstruction in the Issabet River, respectfully submit the following report and recommendation.

Your Committee has given two hearings, largely attended by the parties who claim to have suffered damage from the location of the Town sewer beds, and the disposal of its sewerage.

The Committee has visited the sewer beds and followed the Issabet River, both at high and low water stages from the outflow of the sewer beds to the point where it crosses the Bigelow Road in Northboro: a distance of two and one third (2/3) miles, and members of the Committee have also made numerous visits of inspection during the Summer and Autumn.

Not only have the statements of those interested as owners along the River been taken, but also those of other parties most familiar with former conditions in that locality.

The Committee has caused a careful investigation and survey to be made by a Civil Engineer, familiar with this kind of work, and has consulted with the Engineer of the State Board of Health.

The Claims for damage are understood to be based on the following grounds:

1st. That a certain amount of water, in the form of sewerage, has been diverted from its natural course, and, in a more or less purified condition, discharged into the meadows bordering the Assabet River, and by so much adding to the volume of water seeking [illegible] by that stream.

2nd. That at various times previous to the construction of the present sewer beds, the unpurified sewerage, was turned directly from the Main Sewer into the meadows, before reaching the beds, and that at high water, this sewerage spread over the surface of the land on both sides of the River, and largely stimulated the growth of Peter's Grass, Weeds, Rushes, and other Water Plants in the Riverbed.

That as a consequence, the bed of the River became clogged, and the flow impeded to such an extent, that the water in the meadows, was raised to and remained at a higher level than before resulting in the growth of a lower quality of grass, and in all, except very dry seasons, making it impossible to cut, one considerable section bordering the River; whereas, previous to the location of the sewer beds, the hay could be secured without serious difficulty, except in seasons of excessive rainfall.

The Committee submit the following facts as the result of its investigation:

The Assabet River is a narrow, winding, sluggish stream, with no well defined banks, and with a fall of only one and one tenth (1 1/10) feet for the first five thousand (5000) feet, or nearly a mile from a

point opposite the sewer beds.

The bed of the River varies from six to fifteen (6 to 15) feet in width and in many places is so thickly grown up with Grass, Weeds, and Water Plants that the water slowly percolates through this mass of vegetation with no perceptible current whatever.

Beginning at a point about forty-two hundred (4200) feet below the sewer beds, for a distance of twelve hundred (1200) feet, the bed of the channel is filled from one to two feet above the average depth. It is suggested that this greatest obstruction occurs at the locality where the large brook from Smith's Mills comes into the River, and appears to be caused by a deposit brought down by that stream.

At other points lower down are found beds of mud, sand and gravel, rising nearly to the surface at low water. The distance from a point opposite the sewer beds to Cobb's Bridge in a direct line is only about one half (½) that measured by the River in its course.

Careful inquiry seems to establish the fact that for at least forty (40) years, no attempt has been made to improve the channel of the River, either by widening, deepening, or straightening, and the Committee has been unable to ascertain that any systematic work of this nature has ever been done.

Origin of the So-called Peter's Grass.

The Committee learns that a Mr. Lawrence, who resided in the neighborhood of Smith's Mills many years since, obtained the seed of this Grass, and seeded a bed in his meadow, and that from this planting the seed was carried by the water down the brook from Smith's pond to the Assabet resulting in establishing patches of this grass at intervals along the banks, both of the brook and River, as far down as the point where the Assabet enters the wide belt of River meadows.

At numerous points this Water Grass has encroached across the stream, growing not only in

the low banks, but in the bed itself, thus adding to the natural obstructions found in the River.

As to the present condition the Committee is satisfied that the sewer beds are now working satisfactorily and that the stream flowing from them is free from impurities; and this statement is confirmed by analyses made by the State Board of Health.

These facts seem to your Committee to indicate that the causes of the trouble of which so serious complaint is made, are not to any considerable extent, the result of the location or condition of the sewer beds in the present Valley.

Notwithstanding, in view of all existing facts and conditions relating to the matter it is ordered that legal advice is taken, if it is found that the Town can lawfully make contracts and appropriations therefor; and if, after further investigation, it is found that the cost will not exceed the sum of 3000 dollars; your Committee recommend that the Town straighten and deepen the bed of the Mystic River so far as may be found necessary to secure a satisfactory channel, in accordance with the plan submitted by the Engineer employed by the Committee.

On condition that all Claimants shall agree to waive their claims for all damages against the Town, on account of its sewerage disposal, and also that the owners shall give the land needed for straightening the River.

Your Committee wishes it to be distinctly understood, however, that nothing in this report or the recommendations herewith, shall be construed as an admission, by the Committee, of any liability on the part of the Town.

Signed - John W. Slattery - Chairman
Joseph L. Yates. E. [illegible]
George A. Ferguson. M. H. Walker.
William B. Teal. T. H. Reilly.

Voted That the report be received, laid upon the table, and made special order of business at 11 o'clock A. M.

Adams F. Brown for the Selectmen, to whom the matter of School Houses in outlying districts was referred for investigation submits the following report.

School Districts.

The Warrant for the Annual Meeting of March A.D. 1900 contained the following article:

"Article 2. To see if the town will sell its school houses and real estate connected therewith in the outlying districts of the Town and report at a future meeting."

Under this Article, at said Meeting, it was voted "That the subject matter of this article be referred to the Selectmen to investigate as to the title of the real estate connected with the school houses in the outlying districts of the Town and report at a future meeting."

Deeming it wise to have the report on this matter contained in our annual report we present it herewith:

After a most careful and thorough search of the records in the Registry of Deeds at Worcester, Mass., from the time of its first records A. D. 1730, to the present time, and of the records in the Registry of Deeds at East Cambridge, Mass., prior to A.D. 1730, it appears that the Town of Westborough has no record title to any of the real estate connected with the school houses in the outlying districts of the Town, except to a portion of the school lot in district number six, and to that only so long as it should be used for school purposes.

The land in school district number eight was deeded to the inhabitants of that district for school purposes only.

The original lot of land in district number six was deeded to the inhabitants of that district for school purposes only.

Two additions to this lot were deeded to the Inhabitants of Westborough, A. D. 1879 (school districts having been abolished prior to that time) but this was only for so long a time as it should be used for school purposes.

The land in school district number four was deeded to the Inhabitants of that district, upon certain conditions, which conditions were probably complied with.

No record appears regarding the school lands in districts number two, three, five and seven.

March fourth, A. D. 1867,

Under an article "to see what action the Town will take in regard to abolishing the school district system", it was voted "to abolish the District System." It was also voted to choose a committee of two from the first district and one from each of the others to attend the School Houses & Lands, in accordance with Chap. 30 Sec. 3, of General Statutes".

The Selectmen in their Annual Report for the year ending Feb. 20th, 1868, report as follows:

"By vote of the town, March 4th, 1867, the District system was abolished. The School House property belonging to the several districts was obtained and transferred to the Town, for which the Town nominally paid; each resident of each district being assessed his proportion of the whole property, and credited back his proportion of the property belonging to his district."

Nov. 20th, 1867- Under an article, "To see what measures the Town will take to obtain deeds of such School property in the several districts as can be conveyed by said districts to the Town, or act anything thereon, it was voted "That the Town Clerk be requested to ask the Clerks of the Several Districts to call meetings in order that the Districts may deed to the Town their lands as desired".

No report from the Town Clerk on this matter appears in his records however, and so far as is known no deeds were ever given as proposed.

As before stated:

The Town of Westborough at the present time has no record title to any of the school lands in the outlying districts of the Town, except a portion of the land in district number six; and its right to that is now disputed through non-use.

Jos. L. Brigham,
Butler H. Hero,
Adams F. Brown,
Selectmen of Westborough, Mass.

Voted. That the report be received.

Report of the Committee appointed on the 4th instant under Article 3 of this warrant was read by the chairman John L. Brigham.

Voted, That the report be received and distributed.

Article 8. Voted. That the name of Melvin A. Macker be added to the list of Jurors.

Voted That the list of Jurors as amended be accepted. The list is as follows:

Clarence E. Ainsworth.
Philander A. Angier.
Frank V. Bartlett.
Samuel A. Bates.
William H. Bates.
Byron O. Berry.
George E. Blake.
Charles E. Bowman.
Frank G. Braley.
Joseph E. Brown.
Frank W. Bullard.
R. Franklin Burhoe.
Lot F. Chase.
Jere V. Clafflin
John P. Crowe.
Weston A. Curtis
Timothy W. Earley.
James A. Ekins.
George F. Ewell.
Russel F. Holton.
Andrew A. Jardine.
John F. Johnson.
James J. Kelley.
Fred R. Kingsbury
John J. Lahive.
Michael J. Linnane.
Everett A. Lord.
George W. Marsh.
Oscar A. Marshall.
John Matthews.
Michael G. McCarty.
Arthur L. McDonald.
Joseph McNeil.
Henry J. Mooney.
Patrick E. Mooney.
Patrick Murphy.
John F. Nash.
Willard C. Norcross.

Frank A. Falkner.
Luke Fannon.
Jonathan W. Fay.
[illegible]
William B. Frost.
George G. Genthner.
William Graham.
[illegible]
Frank Hackett.
Frank J. Hannon.
Charles L. Harrington.
Timothy Hayden.
John O. Henry.
Frederick N. Hollis.
Franklin Holman.

Arthur M. Nourse.
Edmund Parker.
Frederick A. Pratt.
[illegible]
Uriah Soares.
George L. Smith.
Frank A. Stone.
James O. Taft.
Mason Taft.
Thomas H. Treadway.
George E. Walker.
Lewis O. Walker.
Albert B. Ward.
[illegible]
Albert P. Wilson.

[illegible] A. Mackey.

Art. 9. Voted, That the sewer and water commissioners be instructed to employ a superintendent for both departments for the ensuing year.

" 10. Voted, That the Town pay to the Water Department Ten Dollars ($10.00) per annum for the use of each hydrant.

" 11. Voted, That the Dog Fund Five hundred and fourteen dollars and seventy-one cents ($514.71) be appropriated for the use of the Public Library.

" 12. Voted. To maintain a night-watch.

" 13. Voted. To appropriate the sum of Five hundred dollars ($500.00) for repairing crossings and dangerous places.

" 14. Voted, To appropriate the sum of Thirty-five hundred dollars ($3500.00) for highways and bridges.

" 15. Voted That the town light its streets and public buildings by electricity for the ensuing year.

" 16. Voted To appropriate the sum of One hundred and fifty dollars ($150.00) for the observance of Memorial Day.

" 7. 11 A. M. Report on Assabet River taken from the table.

Voted, That the report of the Committee be accepted as a report of progress, and that the matter be recommitted to the Committee with instructions to take competent legal advice as to whether the Town can legally make contracts and appropriations therefor, and as to the expense it would be to straighten and deepen the Assabet River bed as suggested; also to see if the claimants will waive their claim for damages and give the necessary land to make the proposed change; and report to the Town at its earliest convenience.

" 17. Voted, To pay its Town Officers salaries as follows:

Auditor	45.00
Treasurer.	250.00
Town Clerk.	50.00
Collector.	250.00
and 5 per cent of collections from persons having a poll tax only.	
Registrars of Voters.	180.00
Assessors.	500.00
Overseers of Poor.	200.00
Water Commissioners.	150.00
Trustees of Sinking Funds.	50.00
Selectmen.	320.00
	1975.00

Voted, That the Moderator be paid the sum of Ten dollars ($10.00) for annual meeting in March and Five dollars ($5.00) for each Special Meeting to take effect at next meeting.

Article 18. Voted, That the five Engineers be paid Fifty dollars ($50.00) each and fifty-five (55) firemen Twenty five dollars ($25.00) each, per annum.

" 19. Motion That the unpaid tax list be printed was lost and no further action was taken.

Voted, To adjourn to 1.30 o'clock P.M. Monday, March 18. 1901.

Attest. F. W. Bullard
Town Clerk.

Westborough, Mass.
March 18. 1901.

The adjourned meeting of the Town was called to order by the Moderator at 1.30 o'clock P.M. agreeably to adjournment.

" 20. Voted, That the valuation and tax list be printed.

" 21. Voted, To appropriate the sum of Five hundred dollars ($500.00) and receipts from Library for support of its Public Library.

" 22. Voted, To appropriate the sum of One hundred dollars ($100.00) for expenses of the Board of Health.

" 23. Voted, To pass over.

" 24. Voted, To lay upon the table.

" 25. Voted, To lay upon the table, special action at 2 o'clock P.M.

" 26 Voted. To lay upon the table.

Article 27. Voted. To lay upon the table.

" 28. Voted. To lay upon the table.

" 29. Voted, To appropriate the sum of One hundred and fifty dollars ($150.00) for the setting out and maintenance of public shade trees.

" 30. Voted. That the sum of Three Thousand Dollars coming due this year be refunded, and made payable in 1909 and that the Treasurer of the town with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to refund the same. The vote was unanimous.

" 31. No action taken.

" 32. Voted, To pass over.

Appropriations were made as follows under

Article 3	Repairing crossings and dangerous places.	300.00
" 14.	Highways and bridges.	3500.00
" 16.	Memorial Day.	150.00
" 21.	Public Library (and receipts from Library.)	500.00
" 22.	Board of Health.	100.00
" 29.	Setting out and maintenance public shade trees.	150.00
	Amount to be raised by taxation.	4700.00

" 33. Voted Appropriations for current expenses as follows:

Cemeteries.	500.00
Contingent.	2200.00
Expenses of Fire Department.	1000.00
Expenses for new hose.	200.00
Police Department.	4000.00
Wiring and Electric Fixtures at Town House.	150.00
Police.	1200.00
Salaries of Town Officers.	1975.00
Salaries of Fire Department.	1625.00

Schools.	129 00.00
School Incidentals.	2500.00
School Special Repairs.	500.00
Use of 93 Hydrants at $10.00	930.00
Interest on Funded Debt.	1000.00
Interest on Temporary Loans.	800.00
Interest on Town Notes.	400.00
Interest on Cemetery Funds.	230.00
Payment of Debt due this year.	2450.00
Street Lights	3365.00
Soldiers Relief	650.00
For purchasing 2 Fire Alarm Boxes.	130.00
Sewer Sinking Fund.	1400.00
Sewer Maintenance (and all receipts from Sewer Department.)	1600.00
	46405.00

Voted, To grant the sum of Forty-six thousand four hundred and five dollars ($46405.00) for current expenses.

Article 25. 2 o'clock P. M. Taken from the table.
Voted. That the town adopt the Metre system for the sale of its water.

" 6. 2.30 o'clock P. M. Taken from the table.
Voted, That the Annual Report of the Auditor and the One hundred eighty third annual report of the Town Officers be received and placed on file.

" 24. Voted. To pass over.

" 26. Voted. To appropriate the sum of Fifteen hundred dollars ($1500.00) for Sewer Sinking Fund.

" 27. Voted. That the Town appropriate all receipts from the Sewer Department and Sixteen hundred dollars ($1600.00) to defray the expenses of the Sewer Department.

Article 28. Voted To pass over.

Voted. That this meeting be dissolved. (3.30 o'clock P.M.)

Attest.

F. H. Bullard
Town Clerk.

1901 Appointments 1901.

March 9 # Arthur H. Newton. Superintendent Streets
Henry A. Gilmore Constable
James H. McDonald "
John Doe Keeper of Lockup
John Doe Janitor Town Hall
Frank S. Stone declined. Pound Keeper
Emory L. Wood Undertaker
Thomas H. Reilly "
Frank H. Bullard Burial Agent
16 # George W. Standridge Inspector of Animals
Thomas H Treadway Sealer of Weights & Measures
John J. Anderson Special Police
John P. Crowe " "
Luke Fannon " "
Harry C. Garfield " "
Henry J. Mooney " "
Patrick E. Mooney " "
James Walsh " "
23 William Magner Chief of Police
William Magner Night Watch
Michael E. Lyons Constable
Alexander Gervais Public Weigher
Frederick W. Kimball " "
Frederick A Pratt " "
Alison H. Putnam Pound Keeper

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Sworn.

Affidavit.

I, William N. Davenport, [illegible] Commonwealth of Massachusetts, [illegible] depose and say that pursuant to the [illegible] of the Acts of the year [illegible], [illegible] on the twenty-fifth day of May, in the year 1901, [illegible] the Westborough Chronotype, a newspaper [illegible] in Westborough in said Commonwealth, [illegible] of which the following is a true copy:-

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board.

The following rule for the sanitary protection of waters used by the Metropolitan Water Board for the water supply of the cities [illegible] Water District, under the authority of Chapter 488 of the Acts of the year 1895 was adopted by the State Board of health on June 1, 1899, and subsequently on June 30, 1899, by the Metropolitan Water Board, and on May 10, 1901, by the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board.

Rule 15. [illegible] shall enter upon the Wachusett Reservoir, so-called, Sudbury Reservoir, [illegible] Wachusett Aqueduct; [illegible] Reservoir, [illegible] Reservoir [illegible] 3, Farm Pond Whitehall Reservoir, Lake Cochituate Spot Pond, Chestnut [illegible] Reservoir, [illegible] lake, pond or reservoir [illegible] Water Board as a source [illegible] or distribution, of the [illegible] of Chapter 488 of the Acts of the year 1895, and acts in amendment thereof or addition thereto, [illegible] the purpose of cutting or taking ice, [illegible] take ice from any such lake, pond or [illegible] without a written permit signed by the

Error see page 50.

Westborough, Mass., May 4th, A.D. 1901

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of Westborough:-

Your petitioner, The Westborough Gas & Electric Co., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and doing business in the Town of Westborough Mass., respectfully requests that you may grant the right to the petitioner to erect and maintain poles and wires, to be placed thereon together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite in the following named streets and highways of said town:

South Street from Explorer Street to the Westborough Town Farm.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications:-

Poles shall be of a length, size, and material, and the wires thereon shall be at a height, and poles placed in a location satisfactory to the Board of Selectmen.

The Westborough Gas & Electric Company.

By,

Geo. L. Smith.

Pres.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester S.S. Town of Westborough, May fourth A.D. 1901.

To Board of Selectmen:-

On the petition of the Westborough Gas & Electric Company, it is hereby Ordered that permission be, and the same hereby is granted, said Westborough Gas & Electric Company to erect and maintain poles, and wires to be placed thereon together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as may be necessary in the following named streets and highways, in the Town of Westborough, to wit:

South Street from Hopkinton Street to the Westborough Town Farm.

All construction under this Order shall be in accordance with the following specifications to wit:

Poles shall be of a length, size, and number, and the wires thereon at a height, and the poles placed in a location satisfactory to the Selectmen, and all work of construction, shall be under their supervision, and subject to their approval.

T. H. Reilly. }
Adams F. Brown. } Selectmen
E. A. Hersey. } of
Westborough. Mass

A true copy of the petition and order thereon.
Attest:

Adams F. Brown.
Clerk.

May 4. 1901 Received and entered in the Records of the Town of Westborough Mass.
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F. W. Bullard
Town Clerk.

Appointments 1901

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1901			
March 23	#	Thomas J. Carey	Special Police
		Charles S. Graham	" "
	#	Charles H. Hallier	" "
	#	William D. Atchison	" "
	#	Thomas W. Poskitt	" "
		Frederick J. Richardson	" "
	#	Frederick J. Taylor	" "
		James H. McDonald	Fire Engineer
		James Brady	" "
		John P. Crowe	" "
		Thomas H. Hackett	" "
		Thomas H. Treadway	" "
	#	Sherman Converse	Registrar of Voters 3 years
June 15	#	Ralph H. Barnard	Special Police
	#	James Craig	" "
	#	Willie H. Fairbanks	" "
	#	Levi H. Foster	" "
	#	Oscar L. Marshall	" "
	#	Edward W. Payne	" "
	#	Loren R. Potter	" "
	#	Daniel A. Rawson	" "
	#	James F. Reilly	" "
	#	Samuel L. Webber	" "
	#	Edmund S. Whitney	" "
July 1	#	James A. Ekins	" "
	#	Charles W. Ewell	" "
	#	John Flahive	" "
	#	Julius A. Glidden	" "
	#	John F. Nash	" "
	#	Frank W. Powers	" "
	#	John D. Welts	" "

For July 3 + 4 1901

Sept 3	#	George F. Ewell	Registrar of Voters {to fill the unexpired term of Sherman Converse resigned
	#	Adams F. Brown	Collector of Taxes {to fill the unexpired term of Frank W. Bullard, resigned
	#	Joseph S. Gates	Town Clerk {to fill the unexpired term of Frank W. Bullard, resigned

[illegible]

Westborough Mass
August 15. 1901

This is to certify that in conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth, I have this day destroyed by burning all the ballots cast in election of Town Officers held on the fourth day of March 1901.

Attest. F. W. Bullard
Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the Twentieth day of May Current, at Eight o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To hear and act on reports of officers and committees of the Town.

" 3. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to sign a partial release of its mortgage on the property of James A. Burke and Thomas K. Burke, upon fair payment of the same, and a full release and discharge upon payment in full, or act anything thereon.

" 4. To see if the Town will ratify and confirm the sale of a portion of its land on Summer Street made to Alvin N. Davenport, November first A.D. 1900

" 5. To see if the Town will choose three Trustees to have charge of the Public Library Building Fund and invest and reinvest the same, or act anything thereon.

" 6. To see if the Town will purchase land for gravel pits, and appropriate money therefor.

" 7. To see if the Town will issue additional Water Bonds.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

[illegible] fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this Eleventh day of May in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and one.

Thomas H. Reilly. } Selectmen
Adams F. Brown. }
[illegible] } [illegible]

Worcester s. s.

Westboro' May 13th 1901.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Magner.
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough [illegible]

May 2[illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible] the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in [illegible] Hall and at Eight o'clock in the afternoon were called to order by the [illegible] Clerk [illegible] to read the Warrant and [illegible]

Article 1. John W. Slattery was chosen Moderator.

" 2. [illegible] S. Gates for Committee appointed to consider the claim of L. W. Fairbanks and others regarding alleged obstruction in the Assabet River made a verbal report recommending that the town take no further action.

Voted. That the report be accepted; that no further action be taken at this time and committee be discharged.

3. Voted. That the town do authorize its Treasurer to sign a partial release of its mortgage on the property of James A. Burhoe and Thomas K. Burhoe upon part payment on the same, and a full release and discharge, upon payment in full

" [illegible] Voted. That the town ratify and [illegible] the [illegible] of its land on Summer Street [illegible] [illegible]

" 5. Voted. That the town do choose three Trustees to have charge of the Public Library Building Fund and that they be given full power to invest and reinvest the same, making report annually in print to the [illegible] of the condition of said fund.

Voted. To [illegible] upon the table.

4. Voted To abbropriate the sum of Three thousand dollars ($3,000.00) to purchase land for gravel pits.

5. Voted That additional Water Bonds of the Town of Westboro, payable in [illegible] from the first day of September A. D. 1893 with interest may be semi-annual, at the rate of four per centum, per annum, the first instalment of interest to be paid on the first day of March or September, succeeding the date of such bonds and the succeeding payments of interest to be made on the first days of March and Sept. in each year, said Bonds to be denominated Westboro Water Bonds, signed by the Town Treasurer and a majority of the Selectmen, be issued to the amount of Five Thousand dollars to pay for such expenses as have been or may be authorized, by vote of the Town, in connection with the Water Works, and that the Water Commissioners and Town Treasurer be a committee for the sale of said bonds at public or private sale and at such time or times and on such terms and conditions as the said committee may deem expedient.

5. Taken from the table.
Voted To lay upon the table.

Attest F. W. Bullard.
Town Clerk.

Affidavit.

I, William A. [illegible], of [illegible], in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on oath depose and [illegible] to the [illegible] of Chapter 408 of the Acts of the year 1899, I caused to be published [illegible] fifth day of May, in the year 1901, in the Westborough Chronicle, a newspaper published in Westborough in said Commonwealth, a notice of which the following is a true copy:-

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board.

The following rule for the sanitary protection of waters used by the Metropolitan Water Board for the water supply of the cities and towns of the Metropolitan Water District, under the authority of Chapter 488 of the Acts of the year 1895, was adopted by the State Board of Health on June [illegible], 1899, and [illegible] on June 30, 1899, by the Metropolitan Water Board, and on May 10, 1900, by the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board.

Rule 15. No person shall enter upon the Wachusett Reservoir, [illegible], Sudbury Reservoir, the [illegible] of the Wachusett Aqueduct, Cochituate Reservoir, Ashland Reservoir, Framingham Reservoir No. 1, Framingham Reservoir No. 2, Framingham Reservoir No. 3, [illegible] Reservoir, Lake Cochituate, [illegible] Pond, [illegible] Reservoir, or any other lake, pond or reservoir used by the Metropolitan Water Board as a source or for the conveyance, storage or distribution, of the water supply of any city, town or water company, under the provision of Chapter 488 of the Acts of the year 1895, and acts in amendment thereof or addition thereto, for the purpose of cutting or taking ice, or cut or take ice from any such lake, pond or reservoir, without a written permit, signed by

the Metropolitan Water Board, stating the time and place for which such permission is given.

A true copy.

Attest:

(Signed) Sam'l W. Abbott, Secretary.

Under and pursuant to Rule 15 of the rules made by the State Board of Health on June 1, 1899, for the sanitary protection of waters used by the Metropolitan Water Board for the water supply of the Metropolitan Water District, and under and pursuant to the general powers and authority given to the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board by Chapter 1,88 of the Acts of the year 1895, and by Chapter 165 of the Acts of the year 1901, and otherwise, the following special regulations previously made by the Metropolitan Water Board were, on May 10, 1901, adopted by the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board, and it was deemed by the Board that these regulations are necessary for the preservation of the purity of the water of the Sudbury Reservoir.

1.

Any inhabitant of the town of Southboro desiring to cut or remove ice from Sudbury Reservoir for his individual use only in said town, shall make application to the Assistant Superintendent of the Metropolitan Water Works, resident at South Framingham, personally or by letter, at least four days before the cutting of any ice.

All applications shall state whether it is the intention to use horses or other animals in the cutting of ice.

a. Ice shall be cut only in such places as shall be designated in the permit given.

b. No horses or other animals shall be used upon the ice except in accordance with special permission stated in the permit.

c. In case permission is given to use horses or

other animals, the entrance upon and departure from the ice shall be made only at such places as shall be specified in the permit.

d. All manure and other refuse matter shall be thoroughly scraped up and immediately removed from the surface of the ice, and shall be deposited on land at such distance that it shall not be washed into the water.

e. No matter tending to pollute the water shall be taken or left upon the ice nor thrown into the water.

f. All operations connected with the cutting of ice shall be carried on in such a manner as not to injure the shores, paving, riprap, gravel margin or other land or property belonging to the Commonwealth.

g. All persons cutting ice shall be subject to such special instructions as may be given by the officers or agents of the Metropolitan Water Board.

II.

Any riparian owner abutting on the open channel of the Wachusett Aqueduct, so called, in the town of Southborough, which channel extends from the covered portion of the acqueduct to the lower dam near the Sawin's Mill Road, so-called, desiring to cut and remove ice from the channel for his individual use only, shall make application to the Engineer and Dam and Aqueduct Department of the Metropolitan Water Works, resident at Clinton, Mass., personally or by letter, and obtain permission therefor before the cutting of any ice. All applications shall state whether it is the intention to use horses or other animals in the cutting of ice.

a. Ice shall be cut only in such places as shall be designated in the permit given.

b. No horses or other animals shall be used upon or in ice except in accordance with special permission stated in the permit.

c. Unless permission is given to use horses or other animals the entrance upon and departure

from the ice shall be made only at such places as shall be specified in the permit.

d. All [illegible] and other [illegible] matter shall be thoroughly [illegible] and immediately removed from the surface of the ice, and shall be deposited on land at such distance that it shall not be washed into the water.

e. No matter tending to pollute the water shall be taken or left upon the ice nor thrown into the water.

f. All operations connected with the cutting of ice shall be carried on in such manner as not to injure the shores, [illegible] gravel margin or other land or property belonging to the Commonwealth.

g. All persons cutting ice shall be subject to such special instructions as may be given by the officers or agents of the Metropolitan Water Board.

A true copy.

Attest: Wm. N. Davenport.

Secretary.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board.

The following rule for the sanitary protection of waters used by the Metropolitan Water Board for the water supply of the cities and towns of the Metropolitan Water District, under the authority of Chapter 488 of the Acts of the year 1895, was adopted by the State Board of Health June 1, 1899, and subsequently on June 30, 1899, on by the Metropolitan Water Board, and on May 10, 1901, by the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board.

Rule 14. No person shall bathe in, and no person shall, unless permitted by a special regulation or by a written permit of the Metropolitan Water Board, fish in, or send, drive or put any animal into the Wachusett Reservoir so called, the [illegible] of the Wachusett Aqueduct, Sudbury Reservoir, Hopkinton Reservoir, Ashland Reservoir, Farm Pond, Whitehall Reservoir, Framingham Reservoir No. 1, Framingham Reservoir No. 2, Framingham Reservoir No. 3

Lake Cochituate, Spot Pond, Chestnut Hill Reservoir, or any other lake, pond, reservoir or stream used by the Metropolitan Water Board as a source, or for the conveyance, storage or distribution of the water supply of any city, town or water company, under the provisions of Chapter 488 of the Acts of the year 1895, and acts in amendment thereof or addition thereto. No persons other than a member of the said Metropolitan Water Board, its officers, agents or employes, or public officers whose duties may so require, shall, unless so permitted by regulation or permit of the same Board, enter or go, in any boat, skiff, raft or any contrivance on or upon the water of any of said reservoirs, or said lake, ponds or open channel, or of other such lakes, ponds or reservoirs, nor shall enter or go upon, or drive any animal upon the ice of any of said waters or other such lakes, ponds, reservoirs or streams.

A true copy. Attest:

(Signed) Samuel W. Abbott,
Secretary.

In accordance with Rule 14 as adopted by the State Board of Health on June 1, 1899, and pursuant to the general powers and authorities given to the Metropolitan Water Board by Chapter 488 of the Acts of the year 1895, and to the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board by Chapter 168 the Acts of the year 1901, the following special regulation was adopted by the Metropolitan Water Board on June 30, 1899, and by the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board on May 10, 1901.

Permission is given, until further order, to fish from the highway, and to enter from the highway and fish through the ice, in the waters of the open channel of the Wachusett Aqueduct, Sudbury Reservoir, Framingham Reservoir No. 1, Framingham Reservoir No. 2, Hopkinton Reservoir and Ashland Reservoir, subject to the following limitations and conditions:—

d. No fish, food or other matter tending to pollute the water shall be thrown into the water or left upon the shores.

e. No tin cans or bait boxes shall be thrown into the water or left upon the shores.

f. No person shall build any fire upon [illegible] or other land belonging to the Commonwealth.

g. Care shall be taken not to disturb the gravel or stone protection around the shores.

h. In case fishing is carried on through the ice, no person shall throw or leave upon the ice any fish, bait, food or other matter tending to pollute the water.

i. No permission is given to fish from the shores at places other than the highway.

A true copy. Attest:

(Signed) Wm. N. Davenport.
Secretary.

The Sudbury Reservoir is the large reservoir, situated partly in Northboro and partly in Marlboro, formerly called Basin No. 5.

Framingham Reservoir No. 1 is the reservoir situated a short distance southwest of the village of Framingham Centre, formerly called Basin No. 1.

Framingham Reservoir No. 2 is the reservoir situated in the southwesterly part of Framingham and northeasterly part of Ashland, formerly called Basin No. 2. It lies for a large part of its length with the tracks of the Boston and Albany Railroad.

The Hopkinton Reservoir is the reservoir situated partly in the northeasterly part of Hopkinton and partly in the westerly part of Ashland, formerly called Basin No. 6.

The Ashland Reservoir is the reservoir in the southerly part of Ashland, formerly called Basin No. 4.

Witness my hand this sixth day of June, in the year nineteen hundred and one.

William A. Davenport.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Suffolk, ss. June 6, 1901.

Personally appeared the above named William N. Davenport, and made oath that the foregoing statement by him subscribed is true,
Before me,

Alfred C. Vinton
Justice of the Peace.

Office of Town Clerk.
Collector of Taxes.
Westborough.
Worcester County, Mass.
August 24, 1901.

To the Honorable
The Board of Selectmen,
Westborough, Mass.

Gentlemen:-

On account of ill health, I hereby tender my resignation as Collector of Taxes and Town Clerk of the town of Westborough, Massachusetts, to take effect the first or tenth proximo.

Very respectfully,
F. W. Bullard.
Collector of Taxes and Town Clerk.

Westborough,
Worcester County, Mass.
August 30- 1901.

To the Honorable
The Board of Selectmen.
Westborough, Mass.

On account of ill health I hereby tender my resignation as a Registrar of Voters to take effect at this date.

Sherman Converse.
per F. W. Bullard.

Office of Selectmen.
Westborough, Mass.
September 3, 1901

To Joseph L. Pates,

You are hereby appointed Town Clerk pro tempore of the Town of Westborough, to take effect at noon upon the fifteenth day of September current, for the unexpired term of Frank W. Bullard, resigned.

T. H. Reilly
Adams F. Brown
E. A. Keyes
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Office of Selectmen.
Westborough, Mass.
September 3, 1901

To George F. Ewell,

You are hereby appointed a Registrar of Voters of the Town of Westborough, for the unexpired term of Sherman Conress, resigned.

T. H. Reilly
Adams F. Brown
E. A. Keyes
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Office of Selectmen.
Westborough, Mass.
September 3, 1901

To Adams F. Brown,

You are hereby appointed Collector of Taxes pro tempore of the Town of Westborough, to take effect at noon upon the fifteenth day of September current, for the unexpired term of

Frank W. Bullard, resigned.
T. H. Reilly
E. A. Hawley } Selectmen of Westborough

Selectmen of Westboro'
Gentlemen:-
My residence in this town will terminate in a few days; therefore I tender to you my resignation from the Board of Health, to take effect Sept. 21 or earlier as may serve your pleasure.
Respectfully Yours,
F. E. Corey.
Westboro' Sept. 7, 1901.

Westboro; Sept. 10, 1901.
Board of Selectmen of Westboro;
Dear Sirs,
I present my resignation as Auditor to take effect Sept. 15th 1901 having been appointed Town Clerk.
Yours Respectfully,
Joseph S. Yates.

Westboro; Oct. 12, 1901.
To the
Honorable The Board of Selectmen,
Gentlemen.- Owing to ill health I hereby tender my resignation as Burial Agent for the Town of Westborough.
Frank W. Bullard.

Westborough Nov. 2, 1901.

To Prescott Sibley, #

You are hereby appointed Burial Agent in place of Frank W. Bullard, resigned.

Adams F. Brown,
Clerk.

Office of the Selectmen
Westborough, Mass.
November 30, 1901.

To Herbert C. Forbes #

You are hereby appointed Auditor of Westborough for the unexpired term of Joseph L. Gates, resigned.

P. H. O'Reilly
Adams F. Brown
E. A. Hersey
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Gubernatorial Election 1901.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester,

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Tuesday the Fifth day of November, next, at six-thirty o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article I. To bring in on their ballot their votes for
Governor,
Lieutenant Governor,
Secretary,
Treasurer and Receiver General,
Auditor, and
Attorney-General, of the Commonwealth,
Councillor for Seventh District,
Senator for Fifth Worcester District,
Two Representatives in the General Court for Tenth Worcester District,
County Commissioner, for Worcester County,
Two Special Commissioners, for Worcester County,
District Attorney, for Middle District,
Clerk of Courts, for Worcester County,
and Sheriff for Worcester County.

The Polls may be closed at Four O'Clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed, to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the

Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-sixth day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and one.

T. H. Reilly
Adams F. Bronson
E. A. Hersey
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, Oct. 28th, 1901.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough,
November 5, 1901.

In pursuance with the foregoing Warrant the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in the Town Hall and were called to order at 6-30 o'clock in the forenoon by Thomas H. Reilly, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who proceeded to read the Warrant.

George M. Howe, William J. Halloran, Ballot Clerks John W. Slattery, James B. Putnam, Tellers in charge of the checklist were duly sworn

November 5, 1901.

by the Town Clerk. The ballots were delivered to the presiding officer who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.

The ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found empty, was locked and the keys were given to Constable George H. Rogers.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness the voting began.

Luke Fannon Frank J. Hannon
Johnston R. J. Warren Fay Jeremiah F. Hogan
Arthur W. Hourse John Matthews
Ora W. Robinson John Roche

were duly sworn as Tellers by the Town Clerk.

It was unanimously voted by the Election Officers and Town Clerk to open the ballot box at 9 a.m., 10.20 a.m., 11.45 a.m., 2.57 P.M., 4.00 P.M. for the purpose of taking ballots therefrom to facilitate counting votes cast.

At 9 a.m. the ballot box was opened and
166 one hundred and sixty-six (166) ballots taken therefrom.

At 10.20 a.m. the ballot box was opened and two
91 hundred and fifty seven (257) ballots taken therefrom.

At 11.45 a.m. the ballot box was opened and three
59 hundred and sixteen (316) ballots taken therefrom.

At 2.57 P.M. the ballot box was opened and five
203 hundred and nineteen (519) ballots taken therefrom.

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked and the keys given to the Constable.

Voted to close the polls at 4 o'clock p.m. at which time the presiding officer declared the polls closed.

At 4 o'clock P.M. the ballot box was opened and
81 six hundred (600) ballots taken therefrom.
600

The presiding officer announced that six hundred (600) ballots had been distributed and six hundred (600) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 600.

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared and read by the presiding officer at 5.33 o'clock p.m. as follows.

For Governor

Michael F. Berry of Haverhill had Fourteen. 14

W. Murray Crane of Dalton had Three hundred and ninety-seven. 397

John B. Lewis, Jr. of Reading had Two. 2

Josiah Quincy of Boston had One hundred and fifty-eight. 158

George H. Wrenn of Springfield had Six. 6

Blanks 23

For Lieutenant Governor

John L. Bates of Boston had Three hundred and ninety-five 395

John W. Coughlin of Fall River had One hudred and fifty three 153

Alfred E. Jones of Everett had Nine 9

William H. Partridge of Newton had Four 4

Charles W. White of Boston had Ten 10

Blanks 29

Secretary

Frederick W. Clark of Boston had Eight 8

Alonzo H. Cennett of Middleborough had Twenty two 22

Jeremiah O'Fihelly of Abington had Twelve 12

William M. Olin of Boston had Three hundred eighty nine 389

Willmore B. Stone of Springfield had One hundred and thirty one 131

Blanks 38

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Treasurer and Receiver General.

George E. Batchelder of Springfield had Five 5
Wendell P. Bosworth of Groton had Thirteen 13
Edward C. Bradford of Springfield had
Three hundred and ninety-six 396
Joseph L. Chalifoux of Lowell had
One hundred and thirty-three 133
Frederick A. Nagler of Springfield had Nine 9
Blanks 46

Auditor.

James F. Dean of Salem had
One hundred and thirty-six 136
Frank Keefe of Lynn had Nine 9
John H. Smith of Dalton had Eight 8
Frank Thompson of Plymouth had Ten 10
Henry E. Turner of Malden had
Three hundred and seventy-nine 379
Blanks 58

Attorney-General.

Allen Coffin of Nantucket had Six 6
John T. Hargraves of Worcester had Nine 9
Herbert Parker of Lancaster had 387
Three hundred and eighty-seven
Arthur A. Putnam of Uxbridge had
One hundred and forty-four 144
Clarence E. Spelman of Westfield had Seven 7
Blanks 47

Councillor - Seventh District.

Charles M. Day of Winchendon had
One hundred and thirty-five 135
Lucius Field of Clinton had
Three hundred and eighty-four 384
John J. Kelly of Warren had Twenty-five 25
Banks 56

Senator.

John F. Barrett of Milford had One hundred seventy-five 175
George H. Bennett of Northbridge had Four 4
Cornelius R. Day of Blackstone had
Three hundred and eighty-one 381

November 5, 1912.

Representative in General Court - Two.

Edgar C. Adams of Mendon had
Three hundred and fifty three 353
George P. Cooke of Milford had One hundred sixty nine 169
Charles L. Fanning of Milford had Six 6
William E. Gifford of Mendon had Six 6
Edward L. Osgood of Hopedale had
Three hundred and thirty two 332
Thomas H. Reilly of Westborough had
Two hundred and thirty-four 234
Blanks 100

County Commissioner - Worcester

George W. T. Cook of Barre had
Three hundred and ninety-three 393
James E. Luby of Worcester had
One hundred and fifty-four 154
Blanks 53

Associate Commissioners - Worcester

William A. Bell of Leicester had
One hundred and twenty-six 126
S. Augustus Howe of Gardner had
Three hundred and seventy-two 372
Howard W. Spaulding of Brookfield had
Three hundred and thirty-six 336
Charles H. Writer of Worcester had
One hundred and thirty-six 136
Blanks 230

District attorney - Middle District

Rockwood Hoar of Worcester had
Four hundred and one 401
James E. McConnell of Fitchburg had
One hundred and fifty one 151
Blanks 48

Clerk of Courts - Worcester County

Thomas S. Brown of Worcester had
One hundred and forty-eight 148
Theodore S. Johnson of Worcester had
Three hundred and ninety two 392
Blanks 60

November 3, 1914.

Sheriff - Worcester County

Robert H. Chamberlain of Worcester had Four hundred and seven 407

Charles A. Hurley of Westminster had One hundred and forty six 146

Blanks 47

After the declaration of the result of the voting the ballots, used and unused together with the check lists were sealed and attested by the Election Officers and delivered to the Town Clerk in accordance with the statutes.

The necessary returns to the Secretary of the Commonwealth were filled out and signed by the Selectmen and Town Clerk after which it was voted to adjourn. The presiding officer accordingly declared the meeting dissolved.

attest- Joseph A. Gale
Town Clerk

Hopedale, Mass.
November 5, 1901.

At a meeting of the Town Clerks of District No. Four, County of Worcester, it appeared by the returns that

Horace L. Adams of Mendon had in	Hopedale	326
" " " " " "	Mendon	124
" " " " " "	Milford	646
" " " " " "	Upton	179
" " " " " "	Westborough	353
		1628

George P. Cooke of Milford had in	Hopedale	27
" " " " " "	Mendon	16
" " " " " "	Milford	632
" " " " " "	Upton	114
" " " " " "	Westborough	169
		958

William L. Dixon of Mendon had in	Hopedale	14
" " " " " "	Mendon	10
" " " " " "	Milford	139
" " " " " "	Upton	15
" " " " " "	Westborough	6
		184

Edward L. Osgood of Hopedale had in	Hopedale	319
" " " " " "	Mendon	98
" " " " " "	Milford	640
" " " " " "	Upton	169
" " " " " "	Westborough	332
		1558

Charles E. Irving of Milford had in	Hopedale	14
" " " " " "	Mendon	8
" " " " " "	Milford	139
" " " " " "	Upton	16
" " " " " "	Westborough	6
		183

Thomas H. Reilly of Westboro had in	Hopedale	12
" " " " "	Mendon	11
" " " " "	Milford	503
" " " " "	Upton	68
" " " " "	Westborough	234
		828

Blanks.		Hopedale	60
Mendon	39	Milford	369
Upton	97	Westborough	100
		Total Blanks	665
		Total Vote in District	6004

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the 10th Representative District, Worcester County, certify that the above is a true statement of the returns of votes cast on the 5th day of November, 1901, for Representatives to the General Court, made to us by the Selectmen of the towns in said District.

Wm. H. Jordan	Town Clerk of Hopedale
Horace G. Adams	Town Clerk of Mendon
John T. McLoughlin	Town Clerk of Milford
Francis T. Nelson	Town Clerk of Upton
Joseph S. Gates	Town Clerk of Westborough

Horace G. Adams of Mendon and Edward L. Osgood of Hopedale having pluralities of all the votes cast were declared elected and certificates of election issued.

Hopedale, Mass.
November 15, 1901

attest. Joseph S Gates
Town Clerk

In Board of Selectmen.

Westborough, Massachusetts, November 25, 1901.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:
Church Street from West Main Street to residence of Mr. Converse.

Signatures of Selectmen:

T. H. Reilly
Adams F. Brown
E. A. Hersey
} Selectmen of Westborough.

The Board of Selectmen.
Westborough, Massachusetts, November 25, 1901

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All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveways and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Flanders Road, from town line at Southville to residence of Richard Fay Parker, Esq.,

Signatures of Selectmen:

T. H. Reilly
Adams F. Brown
E. A. Hersey
} Selectmen of Westborough

Office of Town Clerk.
Westborough.
Worcester County, Mass.
Nov. 25, 1901.

Adams F. Brown, Esq.,
Westborough, Mass.

Dear Sir;

In accordance with Section 4 Chapter 423, acts of 1893, you are hereby appointed

Assistant Town Clerk,

for the Town of Westborough, Mass., to take effect at this date.

[L. S.]

Joseph S. Gates
Town Clerk

Swearing by J. S. Gates, Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in Westborough, on Monday the twenty-fifth day of November Current, at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article I. To choose a Moderator.

" II. To hear and act on reports of officers and committees of the town.

" III. To see if the Town will appropriate additional money for concrete sidewalks and crossings.

" IV. To see if the Town will appropriate additional money for the Contingent Fund.

" V. To see if the Town will appropriate additional money for Salaries of Town Officers.

" VI. To see if the Town will appropriate additional money for the Pauper Department.

" VII. To see if the Town will appropriate additional money for Soldiers' Relief.

" VIII. To see if the Town will appropriate additional money for Schools and School Incidentals.

article IX. To see if the Town will appropriate additional money for Street Lighting.

" X. To see if the Town will appropriate additional money for Police Service.

" XI. To see if the Town will appropriate additional money for the Public Library.

" XII. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of taxes of A. D. 1902.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this eighteenth day of November in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and one.

F. H. Reilly
Adams P. Brown
E. A. Hersey
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, Nov. 18th. 1901.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
November 25, 1901

In pursuance with the foregoing warrant, the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough qualified to vote in Elections and Town affairs met in the Town Hall and at 7-30 o'clock P. M. were called to order by the Town Clerk, who read the Warrant and under

Article 1. John W. Slattery was chosen Moderator.

" 2. Mr. F. H. Pribly reported, That as the expenses of some of the departments of the town would be in excess of the appropriation, and as it was voted in March meeting that the Selectmen should not overdraw the amounts appropriated, this meeting was called for additional appropriations to pay necessary bills, for such the town must do before the March meeting of 1902.

" 3 Voted, That the town appropriate Three hundred ($300.00) for Concrete Crossings.

" 4 Voted, That the town appropriate Six hundred ($600.00) for the Contingent Fund.

" 5 Voted, That the town appropriate Two hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents ($262.50) for Salaries.

" 6 Voted, To lay this article upon the table.

" 12 Taken up.
Voted. To pass over.

article 6. Taken from the table.
Voted, To pass over.

" 7. Voted, To pass over.

" 8. Voted, To appropriate One hundred and five dollars ($105.00) for School Incidentals.

" 9. Voted, To pass over.

" 10. Voted, To pass over.

" 11. Voted, To pass over.

Voted, To adjourn at 8.30 P.M.

Attest- Joseph S. Gates
Town Clerk

Hopkinton and Westborough.

We, the Subscribers of Hopkinton and Westborough having met this 23rd. day of November, A. D. 1901.

Agreable to notice given by the Selectmen of Hopkinton that bring the more ancient towns, for the purpose of perambulating the lines and renewing the marks between said towns, having attended to that duty and make the following return.

Beginning at a stone monument marked H. W. S. standing by the north side of a rock easterly the Prentice Mills (so called), it bring the corner bound of Hopkinton, Westborough and Southborough, thence S. 76¼° W to a stone monument marked H. W. near the river on land of the town of Hopkinton, thence continuing the same course to a stone monument marked H. W. in the swamp north of the House of Mrs. Harriet Fitch and known as the Joshua Mellen place, thence S. 26¼° W 765 rods to a stone monument marked H. W. W. standing near a wall in the woods in a southwesterly direction from the house of John and Lawson Gibbs, the same being the corner bound of Hopkinton, Westborough and Upton.

T. H. Reilly
Adams F. Brown
E. A. Hersey
} Selectmen of Westborough.

John B. Moore
James H. Murphy
appointed by Selectmen
} Selectmen of Hopkinton.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester, SS.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester. Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in Elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in Westborough, on Monday the third day of March next at six-thirty o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer to borrow money for town purposes in anticipation of tax collection.

" 3. To see if the Town will choose a Committee to consider appropriations for the ensuing year and report at an adjourned meeting.

" 4 To bring in on one ballot their votes for the following Officers, Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three Assessors, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, One Overseer of Poor, One School Committeeman, Auditor, One member of Board of Health, Four Trustees of Public Library, Five Constables One Trustee of Cemeteries, One Water Commissioner, One Sewer Commissioner, One Sinking Fund Commissioner, Tree Warden, and "to vote "yes" or "no" on the question "Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this Town."

" 5. To choose all other necessary Town Officers.

Article 6 To hear, and act upon the reports of the several Town Officers.

" 7. To hear, and act upon the reports of any outstanding Committee.

" 8. To see if the Town will accept the list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen.

" 9 To see if the Town will instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a Superintendent for both departments for the ensuing year, or act anything thereon.

" 10 To see if the Town will lay the Water Department or the use of Hydrants.

" 11. To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog Fund.

" 12. To see if the Town will maintain a Night Watch, or act anything thereon.

" 13. To see if the Town will appropriate money for sidewalks and crossings.

" 14. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Highways and Bridges

" 15. To see what measures the Town will take to light its Streets, and Public Buildings and appropriate money therefor.

" 16 To see if the Town will appropriate money for Memorial Day.

Article 17 To see if the Town will appropriate money for its Public Schools.

" 18 To see what compensation the Town will pay the members of the Fire Department

" 19 To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Public Library.

" 20. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Board of Health.

" 21 To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Water Sinking Fund.

" 22 To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Sewer Sinking Fund.

" 23 To see if the Town will appropriate money for Sewer Maintenance

" 24. To see if the Town will appropriate money for its Cemeteries.

" 25. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Contingent expenses.

" 26. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Fire Department.

" 27. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Pauper Department.

" 28. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Police Department.

" 29. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Soldiers Relief.

Article 30. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Tree Warden.

" 31. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Salaries of Town Officers.

" 32. To see if the Town will print its Valuation and Tax List.

" 33. To see if the Town will print its Unpaid Tax List.

" 34. To see if the Town will authorize the Water Sinking Fund Commissioners to see and convey to the Boston and Worcester Street Railway Company the whole or any part of the land lying on Flanders Street in said town held by said Commissioners.

" 35. To see if the Town take steps to preserve and arrange its Archives, or act anything thereon.

" 36. To see if the Town will refund the whole or any part of its floating debt.

" 37. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Worcester County Soldiers' Monument.

" 38. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Town Hall expenses.

" 39. To see if the Town will extend its Electric Light System or act anything thereon.

" 40. To see if the Town will authorize the Assessors to bind in one volume the annual report of the valuation and taxes for the years 1894 to 1901 inclusive, or act anything thereon.

Article 11 To see if the Town will bind in one volume the annual reports of the Auditor and Town Officers from 1894 to 1901 inclusive.

" 12 To appropriate money for current expenses and grant an amount sufficient to cover all appropriations made under this Warrant.

The polls shall remain open until the hour of 6 o'clock in the afternoon unless the time of closing may be fixed by vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days at least before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting

Given under our hands this twenty-second day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and two.

F. A. Reidy
Adams F Brown
Everett A Stevens
} Selectmen of Westboro.

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, Feb. 24, 1902.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting the attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
March 3, 1902.

In pursuance with the foregoing warrant the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in Town Hall and at 6.30 o'clock A.M. were called to order by the Town Clerk, who proceeded to read the Warrant and under

Article 1. John W. Slattery was chosen Moderator.

" 2. Voted, That for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the town of Westborough, Mass. in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year, the town treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to borrow from time to time with the approval of a majority of the board of selectmen a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate thirty thousand (30,000) dollars, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town therefor, payable within one year from the time the loan is made. Any debt or debts incurred by a loan or loans to the town under this vote shall be paid from the said taxes of the present municipal year.

" 3. Voted, That the Moderator appoint a committee of nine voters to consider the matter of appropriations for the ensuing year and report at an adjourned meeting.

The Moderator appointed the following named persons as the committee

John L. Brigham

Thomas H. Hackett	Geo. J. Jackson
George L. Smith	H. W. Kimball
N. Porter Brown	F. W. Forbes
W. J. Linnane	J. P. Crowe

Article 4. Voted, That the town proceed to ballot for the following town officers, viz., Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three assessors, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, One Overseer of the Poor, One member of school committee, Auditor, one member of Board of Health, Three Trustees of Town Library, Nine Constables, One trustee of Cemeteries, Water Commissioner, Sewer Commissioner, two sinking fund Commissioners, Tree Warden, and to vote Yes or No on the question "Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this Town?"

The Ballot Clerks.
John E Henry, William J. Halloran.
Tellers in charge of check list.
H. N. Sanford. James B. Putnam.
together with the Tellers.
Luke Fannon Thomas H. Hackett.
Johnston R. J. Warren Fay. Jeremiah F. Hogan
Herbert C. Forbes. John Matthews
Arthur E. Fairbanks. James Sullivan
were duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

The ballots were delivered to the Moderator who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.

The ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found and declared empty, was locked and the keys given to Constable James H Mac Donald.

The register of the ballot box was set at 0000.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness the voting began.

It was unanimously voted by the

Moderator, the Town Clerk, and election officers to open the ballot box at 9, 10.30 A M and 2.00 P M. for the purpose of taking ballots therefrom to facilitate counting votes cast.

At 9 o'clock A M. the ballot box was opened
198 and one hundred and ninety-eight (198) ballots taken therefrom.

At 10.30 o'clock A M. the ballot box was opened
132 and one hundred and thirty-two (132) ballots taken therefrom.

At 2.00 o'clock P M. the ballot box was opened
281 and two hundred and eighty one (281) ballots were taken therefrom.

At all the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked, and the keys given to the Constable.

Voted, That when this meeting adjourns it adjourn to 9 o'clock A M Tuesday, March 18, 1902.

Voted to close the polls at 4 o'clock P M.

At 4 o'clock P M the Moderator declared the ballot closed.

At 4 o'clock P M the ballot box was opened
58 and fifty-eight (58) ballots taken therefrom
669 men Also one ballot for school committee cast
1 woman by a female voter.

The Moderator announced that six hundred and seventy (670) ballots had been distributed and six hundred and seventy (670) names had been checked on the lists of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 670.

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared at 6.45 o'clock P. M. as follows:

Town Officers.

Town Clerk. # J. S. Gates.

Selectmen # Adams Franklin Brown
Thomas H. Reilly
George H. Rogers

Assessors. H. P. Day
E. T. Gilmore.
A. B. Ward.

Treasurer # O. K. Newton.

Collector of Taxes # G. L. Smith.

Overseer of Poor, 3 yrs # E. H. Denham.

Auditor # L. F. Fales.

School Committee, 3 yrs. # D. P. Gilley.

Board of Health, 3 yrs. G. S Knight

Trustees of Public Library, 3 yrs. Abbie F. Judd
Louise S. Kelley
F. H. Reilly

Trustee of Public Library, 2 yrs. W. H. Walker.

Constables # D. P. Brigham
John P. Crowe.
John Dee
W. B. Jourdan
William Magner
Jas. Mc Donald

Constables. { J. F. Nash. / Ralph E. Staples / W. H. Sullivan

Trustee of Cemeteries 5 yrs. C. S. Henry.

Water Commissioner, 3 yrs. J. A. Hunt.

Sewer Commissioner, 3 yrs. J. A. Hunt.

Sinking Fund Com., 3 yrs. J. L. Brigham.

Tree Warden. C. S. Henry.

Licenses Yes 276 No 330.

The ballots used and unused, together with the check lists were sealed, attested by the election officers and delivered to the Town Clerk, as the law directs.

Adjourned to Tuesday, March 18, 1902, 9 o'clock A. M.

Sworn

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Westborough, Mass.
March 18, 1902.

Town assembled as per adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator.

Article 6. Voted. That the reports of various Town Officers be accepted and placed on file.

" 7. Report of Committee on appropriations reported in Print. Report accepted and voted to act on the report later under Article in warrant refering to the different appropriations.

" 8. Voted. To take Patrick Murphy and Thomas Killing from list submitted to the Town by the Selectmen. Voted to accept the following list of Jurors:

Hartley A. Adams
Charles Allaire
James Archer
Samuel A. Bates
Hiram C. Berry
Moses C. Lombard
Charles H. Bowman
Frank S. Braley
Joseph H. Brown
Frank W. Bullard
R. Franklin Burhoe
Arthur H. Buxton
William M. Buxton
John W. Casey
Henry L. Chase
Lot F. Chase
Clarence H. Coggins
Albert L. Coolidge
John F. Craffey
B. Franklin Crandall

John P. Crowe
Joseph H. DeFie
Patrick J. Kevin
Timothy W. Earley
James A. Ekins
Frank A. Falkner
Luke Fannon
Jonathan W. Fay
George A. Ferguson
William M. Ferguson
Herbert C. Forbes
William B. Frost
George S. Genthner
William Graham
Charles R. Grigg
Frank Hackett
Thomas H. Hackett
William J. Halloran
Frank J. Hannon
Charles L. Harrington

William H. Harmon
Arthur B. Harvey
Timothy Hayden
John E. Henry
Butler W. Hero
John W. Hickey
Franklin Holman
Russell F. Holton
George W. Howe
Andrew A. Jardine
James A. Kelley
Nathan M. Knowlton
John J. Lahive
Foster A. Lebeau
Charles L. Leonard
Michael J. Linnane
Everett A. Lord
George W. March
Oscar A. Marshall
Charles S. Marshall
John Mathews
Michael G. McCarty
Arthur L. McDonald
Owen J. Meighan
Patrick C. Mooney
John F. Park
Edwin H. Newton
Arthur M. Pearce
Frederick A. Pratt
Alman H. Putnam
Michael J. Ray
William F. Rhone
[illegible]
Frederick W. Rogers
Uriah Searles
George L. Smith
William C. Sproul
Frank A. Stone
Frank J. Stone
James F. Sullivan
James C. Taft
Mason Taft
Thomas [illegible]
George C. Walker
Irving C. Walker
Albert B. Ward
Albert P. Wilson
Frank W. Winter.

Article 9. Voted. To instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a Superintendent for both departments for the ensuing year.

" 10. Voted. That the Town pay the Water Dept. $10 each for the use of 96 Hydrants.

" 11. Voted. That the dog fund be given to the Town Library.

" 12. Voted. That the Town maintain a night watch.

" 13. Voted. To appropriate $332.30 for

sidewalks and crossings.

Article 14 Voted To appropriate $35.00 for highways and bridges.

" 15. Voted To light the streets and Public Buildings by Electric Light and appropriate $3300 for one year.

" 16. Voted To appropriate $150 for Memorial Day.

" 17. Voted To appropriate $12600 for Schools and $2300 for Incidentals.

" 18. Voted To pay the Engineer $50 and each of the fifty-five ($55) Firemen twenty-five ($25) dollars each.

" 19. Voted To appropriate five hundred and fifty ($550) dollars for the Public Library.

" 20. Voted To appropriate one hundred ($100) dollars for the Board of Health.

" 21. Voted. To pass over the Article.

" 22. Voted. To appropriate fourteen hundred (1400) dollars for Sewer Sinking Fund.

" 23. Voted. To appropriate fifteen hundred ($1500) dollars for Sewer Maintenance.

" 24. Voted To appropriate four hundred ($400) dollars for Cemeteries.

" 25. Voted. To appropriate twenty-two hundred ($2200) dollars for Contingent expenses.

[illegible] Voted. To appropriate [illegible] hundred and twenty-five ($1625) dollars for Salaries of the Fire Department. Voted. To appropriate Fire Department Expenses.

" 27 Voted to appropriate four thousand nine hundred and fourteen dollars and thirty six cents ($4914.36) for the Pauper Department.

Voted to appropriate twelve hundred ($1200) dollars for a new Barn at Home Farm.

" 28. Voted To appropriate seven hundred ($700) dollars for the Police Department.

" 29. Voted. To appropriate six hundred ($600) dollars for Soldiers' Relief.

" 30. Voted. To appropriate one hundred and fifty ($150) dollars for the Tree Warden.

" 31. Voted To appropriate two thousand three hundred and seventy ($2370) dollars for the Salaries of the Town Officers.

" 32. Voted To print Valuation and Tax List.

" 33. Voted. Not to print Unpaid Tax List.

" 34. Voted. That the water sinking fund commissioners be, and they are hereby authorized to sell and convey to the Boston and Worcester Street Railway Company the [illegible] part of the land lying east of Flanders Street in the Town of Westboro held by said commissioners, and known as the Hackett Farm, for such consideration and upon such terms as said commissioners may by vote determine.

Article 35. Voted: The Town permit Post 80 G.A.R. to Keep its Memorial Volume in the Town Vault as a part of Archives of the Town.

Voted: That the subject matter of Article 35 be referred to a Committee to report at a subsequent meeting.

" 36. Voted: To pass over.

" 37. Voted: To appropriate one hundred ($100) dollars for Worcester County Soldiers' Monument.

" 38. Voted: To appropriate one thousand ($1000) dollars for Town Hall Expenses.

" 39. Voted: To pass over.

" 40. Voted: To have the Assessors bind in one volume the annual reports of the valuation and taxes for the years 1893 to 1901.

" 41. Voted: That the Selectmen bind in one volume the annual reports of the Auditor and Town Officers from 1894 to 1901.

" 42. Voted: To grant the sum of forty-nine thousand five hundred and thirty-one dollars and sixty-six cents ($49,531.66) for current expenses.

" 5. Under this article, Officers were chosen as follows

Field Drivers:
- William H. McGurn
- George Bannister
- + John S. Krompton #
- Harry H. Treadway
- O. Louis Marshall.

Fence Viewers. { John R. Wells #
Prescott Sibley #
John W. Slattery #

Measurers of Wood. { Harry W. Kimball #
John S. Nason #
Nathan M. Knowlton #
Frederick W. Kimball #
Frederick A. Pratt #

Surveyors of Lumber. { Harry W. Kimball #
John S. Nason #
Nathan M. Knowlton #
Frederick W. Kimball #
Frederick A. Pratt. #

Voted To pay its Town Officers salaries as follows

Auditor	45. 00
Treasurer	250. 00
Town Clerk	50. 00
Collector	250. 00
and 5 per cent of collections from persons paying a poll tax only.	
Registrars of Voters	180. 00
Assessors	500. 00
Overseers of Poor	200. 00
Water Commissioners	150. 00
Treasurer of Sinking Funds (To pay his Bond)	75. 00
Selectmen	300. 00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	45. 00
	2045. 00

Sworn

Appropriations were made as follows under the Warrant.

Sidewalks and Crossings	332.30
Hydrants	960.00
Highways and Bridges	3500.00
Street Lights	3300.00
Memorial Day	150.00
Salaries Fire Dept.	1625.00
Public Library	550.00
Board of Health	100.00
Sewer Sinking Fund	1400.00
Sewer Maintenance	1500.00
Cemeteries	400.00
Expenses Fire Dept.	1000.00
Two Alarm Boxes	100.00
Pauper Dept.	4914.36
Schools	12,600.00
School Incidentals	2300.00
Barn at Home Farm	1200.00
Soldiers' Relief	600.00
Police Dept.	700.00
Tree Warden	150.00
Soldiers' Monument Devens Statue Fund	100.00
Town House	1000.00
Contingent	2200.00
Payment Funded Debt due this year	4000.00
Interest on Funded Debt	800.00
" " Temporary Loans	1200.00
" " Town Note	200.00
" " Cemetery Funds	280.00
Salaries Town Officers	2370.00
	49531.66

Voted: That the Meeting be dissolved. (3.45 o'clock P.M.)

Attest

J. S. Gale
Town Clerk

1902. Appointments 1902.

March. 8	# George W. Stanbridge	Inspector of Animals
	# John Rea	Janitor & Keeper of Lockup
	# Almon H. Putnam	Pound Keeper
	Emory Wood	Undertaker
	Thomas Reilly	"
	# Prescott Sibley	Burial Agent.
	# Thomas H. Treadway	Sealer of Weights & Measures
	# Edward Halloran	Registrar.
" 19	# Alexander Gervais	Public Weigher
	# Frederick W. Kimball	"
	# Frederick A. Pratt	"
	# Henry Mooney	Constable
	William Wagner	Chief of Police
	" "	Night Watch
" 20	# William H. Sullivan	Supt. of Streets.

Office of Town Clerk.
Westborough
Worcester County, Mass.
Jan. 19, 1903
Adams F. Brown, Esq.
Westborough, Mass.

Dear Sir,-

In accordance with Section 62, Chapter 25, R. L., you are hereby appointed Assistant Town Clerk, for the Town of Westborough, Mass., to take effect at this date.

[L.S.]

Joseph S. Gates
Town Clerk

Sworn by J. S. Gates, Town Clerk.

In The Office of the Selectmen.

Westborough Massachusetts, April 26, 1902.

Voted: That The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be, and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located as near the stabled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height, and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles; and in the height of the wires, as directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Location of poles on Belmont St. from Lyman School to Northboro town line.

Selectmen of Westborough { F. H Reilly
Adams F. Brown.
George H. Rogers

Received April 26, 1902. 6.2 P. M.

Office of the Selectmen.
Westborough, Mass. May 7, 1902

Mr. Joseph S. Gates, Town Clerk,
Dear Sir,

At our meeting to-night we appointed the following employees of the Marlborough and Westborough St. Ly. Co. as Special Police.

Ralph H. Barnard
Willie H. Fairbanks
Edward L. Payne
Daniel A. Rawson
Samuel L. Webber
James Craig
Oscar L. Marshall
Loren L. Potter
James F. Reilly
Edmund S. Whitney

Yours truly,
Adams F. Brown,
Clerk of Selectmen.

May 14, 1902.

Special Police appointed,
Patrick C. Mooney # Charles S. Russell.

July 2. # Solon Curtis
Luke Fannon
Frank W. Powers
John Flahive
James A. Ekins
Thomas Matthews
Charles W. Ewell

For July 3rd and 4th, 1902.

Sept. 3 # James H. Butler
Charles R. Griggs

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester, SS.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester,

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in Elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the nineteenth day of May Current, at eight o'clock in the after-noon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To hear and act on reports of officers and committees of the town.

" 3. To see if the Town will ratify and confirm the sale of certain portions of its land on Lyman, Sterling and Orchard Streets, made April ninth and twenty-fourth A. D. 1902 to the Westboro' Building Company.

" 4 To see if the Town will authorize its Sinking Fund Commissioners to sell the whole or any part of the property taken and held by them in settlement of loans, to such persons and on such terms as they may deem advisable.

" 5 To see if the Town will appropriate an additional sum of money to construct its Barn.

Article 6. To see if the Town will accept Section 22 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts regarding watering its Public Streets.

" 7. To see if the Town will water its Public Streets, and provide that its Assessors may assess upon the estates abutting on the streets so watered the whole or any portion of the cost thereof.

" 8. To see if the Town will appropriate money to water its Public Streets.

" 9. To see if the Town will purchase one or more Watering Carts.

" 10. To see if the Town will purchase one or more pairs of Horses.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twelfth day of May in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and two.

Selectmen of Westborough { T. H. Reilly, Adams F. Brown

Westborough, Mass.
May 19, 1902.

In pursuance with the foregoing warrant the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in the Town Hall and at eight o'clock P M were called to order by the Town Clerk who read the warrant and under

Article 1. John H. Slattery was chosen Moderator

" 2. Voted- To pass over.

" 3. Voted- That the Town do ratify and confirm the sale of certain portions of land on Milk, Spring and Orchard Streets made April 9th and 24th. 1902, to the Westboro Leaving Company.

" 4. Voted:- That the Town do authorize and impower its Water Sinking Fund Commissioners and its Sewer Sinking Fund Commissioners to sell or exchange the whole or any part of the Property already taken or hereafter to be taken by them in settlement of Loans, to such person or persons and on such terms as they may deem advisable.

5. Voted- That the Overseers of the Poor complete the "new barn" out of regular appropriation made at the Annual March Meeting, 1902.

6. Voted- To accept Section 22 of Chapter 25 of the revised Laws of Mass.

Article 7. Voted - That the Town appropriate the sum of six hundred dollars for watering such of its public Streets and such parts of said public Streets as shall be designated by the Board of Selectmen and that the State abutting on the public Streets or part of public Streets thus designated and watered be assessed 75% of the cost of such watering

" 8. Voted - To appropriate $600 for watering the Streets.

" 9. Voted - To pass over.

" 10. Voted - To pass over.

Voted - To adjourn at 9.20 P.M.

attest

S. L. Slade
Town Clerk,

Gubernatorial Election, 1902.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester, S.S.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester,

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Tuesday the Fourth day of November next, at Six o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following article.

Article 1. To bring in on one ballot their votes for
Governor,
Lieutenant Governor,
Secretary,
Treasurer and Receiver General,
Auditor,
and Attorney General of the Commonwealth,
Representative in Congress for Third District,
Councillor for Seventh District,
Senators for First Worcester District,
Two Representatives for Tenth Worcester District, and County Commissioner for Worcester County.

The Polls may be closed at Four O' Clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of

this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this Twenty-third day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and two.

Thomas H. Reilly
Adams F. Brown
George H. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough

Worcester, S.S. Westboro, October 24th, 1902.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner. Constable of Westo

Westborough,
November 4, 1902.

In pursuance with the foregoing Warrant the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in the Town Hall and were called to order at 6 o'clock in the forenoon by Thomas H. Reilly, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who proceeded to read the Warrant.

George M. Howe, William J. Halloran, Ballot Clerks.

William H. Sanford, James B. Putnam, Tellers in charge of the check list were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. The ballots were delivered to the presiding officer who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.

The ballot box was examined in the presence

of the voters, found empty was locked and the keys were given to Constable John F. Nash.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness the voting began.

Luke Fannon.
Johnston R. Warren Fay.
Herbert C. Forbes.
Orra M. Robinson.
Thomas W. Hackett.
Frank C. Hannon.
Jeremiah F. Hogan.
John Matthews.
were duly sworn as Tellers by the Town Clerk.

It was unanimously voted by the Election Officers and Town Clerk to open the ballot box at 8. A. M.

181. At 8 A. M. the ballot box was opened and one hundred and eighty-one (181) ballots taken therefrom.

At 10 A. M. the ballot box was opened and
300. one hundred and nineteen (119) ballots taken therefrom.

At 11.30 A. M. the ballot box was opened
401. and one hundred and one (101) ballots taken therefrom.

At 2 P. M. the ballot box was opened and
603. two hundred and two (202) ballots taken therefrom. It was voted to close the polls at 4.30 P. M.

At 4.30 P. M. the ballot box was opened and
704. one hundred and one (101) ballots taken therefrom.

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked and the keys given to the Constable.

(Voted to close the polls at 4.30 P. M. at which time the presiding officer declared the polls closed.

The presiding officer announced that seven hundred and four (704) ballots had been distributed and seven hundred and four (704) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 704

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared and read by the presiding officer at 5.10 o'clock P.M. as follows.

For Governor.

John L. Bates of Boston had Four Hundred and fourteen	414.
Michael J. Berry of Haverhill had Five	5.
John C. Chace of Haverhill had Twenty-nine	29.
William A. Gaston of Boston had Two Hundred and twenty-seven	227.
William H. Partridge of Newton had Ten	10.
Blanks	19.

For Lieutenant Governor.

John Quincy Adams of Amesbury had Thirty-seven	37.
Thomas F. Brennan of Salem had Ten	10.
Oliver H. Cobb of Easthampton had Fourteen	14.
Curtis Guild Jr. of Boston had Four hundred and fourteen	414.
Herbert C. Joyner of Great Barrington had One Hundred and ninety-nine	199.
Blanks	30.

Secretary.

Edward A. Buckland of Holyoke had Thirty-nine	39.
Herbert B. Griffin of Winthrop had Nine	9.
Jeremiah O'Fihelly of Abington had Six	6.
William M. Olin of Boston had Four Hundred and Twenty-five	425.
Hillmore B. Stone of Springfield had One	185.

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Treasurer and Receiver General.

Edward S. Bradford of Springfield had Thirty-nine 423.
Joseph L. Chalifoux of Lowell had
Four Hundred and Twenty-three 180.
Frederick A. Stagler of Springfield had
One Hundred and Eighty 11
Daniel Parlin of Worcester had Fourteen 14
David Taylor of Boston had
Twenty-eight 28.
Blanks 48.

Auditor.

David Morrison of Fall River had
Sixteen 16.
A. Fremont Packard of Brockton had
Thirty-five 35.
Charles Stoever of Adams had Six 6.
Thomas C. Thacher of Yarmouth had
One Hundred and Eighty-seven 187.
Henry E. Turner of Malden had
Four Hundred and Ten 410.
Blanks 50.

Attorney General.

Helen Coffin of Nantucket had Sixteen 16.
Charles E. Fenner of Worcester had
Thirty 30.
John J. Flaherty of Gloucester had
One Hundred and Seventy-nine 179.
John A. Henley of Lynn had Five 5.
Herbert Parker of Lancaster had
Four Hundred and Thirty-seven 437.
Blanks 37.

Representative in Congress Third District.

George H. Bemis of Spencer had Ten 10.
Rufus B. Dodge of Worcester had
Three Hundred and Fifty-two 352
Howard A. Gibbs of Worcester had Twenty-one 21
John R. Thayer of Worcester had
Three Hundred and Fourteen 314

Councillor Seventh District

Charles M. Bowers of Clinton had Fifteen	15.
Charles M. Day of Winchendon had One Hundred and Eighty-six	186.
John J. Kelley of Warren had Thirty-six	36.
Arthur H. Lovell of Fitchburg had Four Hundred and Seventeen	417.
Blanks	50.

Senator Fifth Worcester District

Burrell F. Morse of Oxford had Thirty-five	35.
Edward L. Osgood of Hopedale had Three Hundred and Sixty-nine	369.
Edward A. Taft of Brendon had Two Hundred and Thirty-one	20.
Samuel B. Taft of Uxbridge had Two Hundred and Thirty-one	231.
Blanks	49.

Representatives in General Court.

Fifth Worcester District

Lowell E. Fales of Milford had Three Hundred and Fourteen	314.
Charles H. Johnson of Upton had Twenty-one	21.
John L. Nason of Westborough had Four Hundred and Thirty-four	434.
Thomas C. Reilly of Westborough had Two Hundred and Thirty-five	235.
George E. Stanley of Milford had Fifty Six	56.
John E. Swift of Milford had One Hundred and Fifty-seven.	157.
John Thulf of Milford had Sixteen	16.
A. B. Ward of Westboro had One	1.
A. F. Brown of Westboro had One	1.
J. L. Brigham of Westboro had One.	1.
Blanks	170.

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County Commissioner Worcester.

Thomas Laney of Fitchburg had
Forty-nine 49.
James C. Luby of Worcester had
One Hundred and Sixty-eight 168.
Charles A. Prentice of Spencer had
Fourteen 14.
Henry G. Taft of Upbridge had
Four Hundred and twentynine 429.
Blanks 44.

After the declaration of the result of the voting the ballots used and unused together with the check lists were sealed and attested by the Election Officers and delivered to the Town Clerk in accordance with the statutes.

The necessary returns to the Secretary of the Commonwealth were filled out and signed by the Selectmen and Town Clerk after which it was voted to adjourn. The presiding Officer accordingly declared the meeting dissolved.

attest- Joseph S Gates
Town Clerk

Hopedale, Mass.
Jan. 14, 1902.

At a meeting of the Town Clerks of District No. Ten, County of Worcester, it appeared by the returns that

Lowell E. Fales of Milford had in	Hopedale		396
" " " " "	Mendon		73
" " " " "	Milford		611
" " " " "	Upton		206
" " " " "	Westborough		314
			1500
Charles A. Johnson of Upton had in	Hopedale		15
" " " "	Mendon		12
" " " "	Milford		87
" " " "	Upton		37
" " " "	Westborough		21
			172
John S. Bacon of Westborough had in	Hopedale		285
" " " "	Mendon		75
" " " "	Milford		516
" " " "	Upton		188
" " " "	Westborough		434
			1498
Thomas R. Reilly of Westborough had in	Hopedale		3
" " " "	Mendon		16
" " " "	Milford		554
" " " "	Upton		61
" " " "	Westborough		233
			896
George E. Stanley of Milford had in	Hopedale		43
" " " "	Mendon		12
" " " "	Milford		466
" " " "	Upton		26
" " " "	Westborough		56
			603

John C. Swift of Milford had in Hopedale 41.
" " " " " Mendon 14.
" " " " " Milford 677.
" " " " " Upton 66.
" " " " " Westborough 157.
955

John Ruff of Milford had in Hopedale 14.
" " " " " Mendon 11.
" " " " " Milford 102.
" " " " " Upton 14.
" " " " " Westborough 16.
157.

John L. Brigham of Westborough had in Westborough 1
Adams F. Brown " " " 1
Albert B. Hard " " " 1

Blanke		Hopedale	94.
Mendon	51.	Milford	529.
Upton	116.	Westborough	172.
		Total Blanke.	962.

Total Vote in District 6746.

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the 10th. Representative District, Worcester County, certify that the above is a true statement by the returns of votes cast on the 4th. day of November, 1902, for Representatives to the General Court, made to us by the Selectmen of the towns in said District.

Wm. H. Jordan Town Clerk of Hopedale.
Horace E. Edmunds Town Clerk of Mendon.
John C. McLaughlin Town Clerk of Milford
Francis T. Nelson Town Clerk of Upton
Joseph S. Fales Town Clerk of Westborough

Lowell E. Fales of Milford, and John S. Nason of Westborough having pluralities of all the votes cast were declared elected and certificates of election issued.

Hopedale, Mass.
November 14, 1902.
Attest.

John S. Gates
Town Clerk

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.,
of Massachusetts.

119 Milk St., Boston, January 8, 1903

To the Board of Selectmen of the
Town of Westboro, Massachusetts.

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts respectfully asks your Honorable Board for permission to lay and maintain underground conduits and manholes, with the wires and cables to be placed therein, under the surface of the following street:-

Belmont St. from the Northboro line to the Southborough line.

Also for permission to erect and maintain distributing poles, with the wires to be placed thereon, at suitable points in such portions of said street as may be occupied by conduits constructed under this order and on any street intersecting any such portion of said street, at or near the point of intersection, also for permission to lay and maintain underground conduits, manholes, cables and wires on the above or intersecting streets for the purpose of making connections with said poles and with existing poles it may desire to use for distributing purposes, and for making building connections with its said conduits, on the above or intersecting streets.

Plans showing location of conduit constructed and of distributing poles erected to be filed after completion of the work

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts,
by Jasper N. Keller, G.T.
General Manager.

(Northborough, Mass. January 28th A.D. 1903.
In Board of Selectmen.

Ordered:

That permission be and hereby is granted the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, of Massachusetts, to lay and maintain underground conduits and manholes, with the wires and cables to be placed therein, under the surface of the following street:—

Belmont St. from the Northborough line to the Southborough line.

Also that permission be and hereby is granted The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, to erect and maintain distributing poles, with the wires to be placed thereon, at suitable points in such portions of said Belmont Street as may be occupied by conduits constructed under this order, and on any street intersecting any such portion of intersection; also to lay and maintain underground conduits, manholes, cables and wires on said Belmont Street, or intersecting streets at or near the point of intersection, for the purpose of making connections with said poles and with existing holes it may desire to use for distributing purposes, and for making building connections with its said conduits, on said Belmont Street.

The foregoing permission is subject to the following conditions:—

1. The conduits and manholes shall be of such material and construction, and all work done in such manner as to be satisfactory to the Board of Selectmen or to such officer as it may appoint to the supervision of the work, and a plan showing the location of conduit to be constructed shall be filed with the town before the work is begun, and said

Company shall pay for such supervision of the work of construction.

2. Before beginning such construction said Company shall file with the town its agreement to indemnify and save the town harmless against all damages, costs and expense whatsoever to which the town may be subjected in consequence of the acts or neglect of said Company, its agents or servants, or in any manner arising from the rights and privileges granted it by the town.

3. In addition to such agreement, said Company shall before a street is distur[illegible] for the laying of its wires or conduits, execute and deliver to the town its bond, with satisfactory sureties in a penal sum of not less than five thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of said agreement and of its duties under this permit.

4. Said Company shall comply with the requirements of existing by-laws and such as may hereafter be adopted governing the construction and maintenance of conduits, poles and wires.

Selectmen of Westborough { Thomas F. Reilly, Adams F. Brown, George A. Rogers.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester SS.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the Second day of March next at six-thirty o'clock in the forenoon then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to borrow money for town purposes in anticipation of tax collection

" 3 To see if the Town will choose a Committee to consider appropriations for the ensuing year and report at an adjourned meeting.

" 4 To bring in on one ballot their votes for the following officers: Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three Assessors, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, one Overseer of Poor, Auditor, one School Committeeman, one member of Board of Health, three Trustees of Public Library, nine Constables, one Trustee of Cemeteries, one Water Commissioner, one Sewer Commissioner, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, Tree Warden, and to vote Yes or No on the question, "Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating Liquors in this Town?"

" 5. To choose all other necessary Town Officers.

" 6. To hear and act upon the reports of the various

Town Officers

Article 7. To hear and act upon the report of any outstanding Committee

" 8 To see if the Town will accept the list of jurors presented by the Selectmen.

" 9. To see if the Town will accept the doings of the Selectmen in laying out Colin Street.

" 10. To see if the Town will accept the doings of the Selectmen in laying out Ray Street.

" 11. To see if the Town will instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a Superintendent for both departments.

" 12. To see if the Town will abolish the deposit of Five Dollars required of persons using Town water through meters.

" 13. To see if the Town will sell its unused School property in the outlying districts.

" 14. To see if the Town will provide better drainage for Central Street.

" 15. To see if the Town will print its Warrants and action taken thereunder in the annual Town Officers Report.

" 16. To see if the Town will print its Valuation and Tax List

" 17. To see if the Town will print its unpaid Tax List.

" 18 To see what disposition the Town will

make of the Dog Fund.

Article 19. To see if the Town will maintain a Night Watch.

" 20. To see if the Town will amend Section 32 of its By-Laws so as to regulate the height of [illegible]

" 21. To see if the Town will issue Bonds to take up the over draft of the Sewer Department.

" 22. To see if the Town will issue Bonds to take up the overdraft of the Water Department.

" 23. To see if the Town will refund the whole or any part of its floating debt.

" 24. To see if the Town will celebrate "Old Home Week", and make an appropriation therefor.

" 25. To see if the Town will repay to Frank W. Forbes the sum of three Hundred and Fifteen Dollars, being the amount claimed by him to have been unjustly taxed to him in the year 1900 and paid by him, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 26. To see if the Town will appropriate money for its Board of Health.

" 27. To see if the Town will appropriate money for its Cemeteries.

" 28. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Contingent Expenses.

" 29. To see if the Town will appropriate money for lighting its Streets by Electricity.

Article 30. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Fire Department salaries and fix the same for the coming year.

" 31. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Fire Department incidentals.

" 32. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Fire Alarm Boxes.

" 33. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Grade Crossing expences.

" 34. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Highways and Bridges.

" 35. To see if the Town will appropriate money for use of Hydrants.

" 36. To see if the Town will purchase Horses and Carts to use for Street Watering and other municipal purposes and appropriate money therefor.

" 37. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Land or gravel pits.

" 38. To see if the Town will appropriate money for its Public Library.

" 39. To see if the Town will appropriate Five Thousand Dollars toward a Public Library Building.

" 40. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Memorial Day.

" 41. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Overdrafts in any department.

Article 42. To see if the Town will appropriate money for its Pauper Department.

" 43 To see if the Town will appropriate money for its Police Department.

" 44. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Salaries of its Town Officers.

" 45. To see if the Town will appropriate money for its public Schools.

" 46. To see if the Town will appropriate money for School Incidentals.

" 47. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Sewer Maintenance.

" 48 To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Sewer Sinking Fund.

" 49. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Sidewalks and Crossings.

" 50. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Soldiers' Relief.

" 51. To see if the Town will appropriate money for its Town Hall.

" 52. To see if the Town will appropriate money for its Tree Warden.

" 53. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Water Sinking Fund.

" 54. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Watering its public Streets.

Article 55. To appropriate money for current expenses and grant an amount sufficient to cover all appropriations made under this Warrant.

" 56. To see if the Town will instruct the Cemetery trustees to receive a certain legacy of Two thousand dollars bequeathed by the late Jonas A Stone for the purpose of erecting a "Chapel in Pine Grove Cemetery" to be known as "Jonas A. Stone Memorial Chapel," and to authorize the said trustees to expend the same in accordance with the terms of the bequest.

The polls shall remain open until three o'clock in the afternoon, at which hour the time for closing may be fixed by vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twentieth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and three.

Selectmen of Westborough

{ Thomas H. Reilly
Adams F. Brown
George D. Rogers.

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, February 23rd. 1903.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner

Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
March 2, 1903.

Meeting called to order at 6.30 A.M. by F.H. Reilly Chairman of Board of Selectmen, and in absence of the Town Clerk, Mr. J.F. Estes, by reason of sickness, ballots were asked for Town Clerk Pro. Tem

No of ballots cast	1.
H.D. Chase had	1.

and was duly elected Town Clerk Pro Tem —

Meeting was then called to order by the Town Clerk who read the warrant under

Article 1. J. W. Slattery Esq. was elected Moderator.

" 2 Voted, That for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to raise for the use of the town of Westborough, Mass. in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year, the town treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to borrow from time to time, with the approval of a majority of the board of selectmen, a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate thirty thousand dollars and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town therefor, payable within one year from the time the loan is made. Any debt or debts incurred by a loan or loans to the town under this vote shall be paid from the said taxes of the present municipal year.

Article 3. Passed over.

" 4. At 6.45 A M. polls were declared open and the following list of Election Officers having been sworn

C. E. Ainsworth
Wm. Halloran
W. L. Green
James F. Sullivan
Frank J. Hannon
Jeremiah F. Hogan
John Mathews
H. H. Sanford
J. B Putnam
Luke Fannon
[illegible]
Herbert C. Forbes
Orra M. Robinson

J. V. McDonald - Constable

- Balloting Commenced.

166. At 8.45 A. M. the ballot box was opened and one hundred and sixty-six (166) ballots taken therefrom.

At 10.37 A. M. the ballot box was opened and
291. one hundred and twenty-five (125) ballots taken therefrom,

At 2.10 P M. the ballot box was opened and
580 two hundred and eighty-nine (289) ballots taken therefrom.

Voted to close the polls at 4 P. M.

At 4 P. M. the ballot box was opened and sixty-
men 646 six (66) ballots therefrom, also one ballot
women 1 cast by a woman, for the School Committee.

The Moderator announced that six hundred and forty-seven (647) ballots had been distributed and six hundred and forty-seven (647) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 647.

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared at 5.55 P. M. as follows:

Town Officers

For Town Clerk.

Joseph S. Gates had four hundred and eighty-four votes	484
Blanks had one hundred and fifty-Eight	158
Scattering votes	4
Whole number of votes, six hundred forty-six	646

For Selectmen.

Richard Fay Parker had five hundred and thirty-three votes	533.
Thomas A. Reilly had five hundred and forty-eight votes	548
George H. Rogers had five hundred and eleven votes	511
Blanks had three hundred and thirty-three	333
Scattering votes	13

For Assessors

Daniel P. Day had four hundred and seventy-one votes	471
Edward T. Gilmore had three hundred and sixty-two votes	362
John F. Adsit had two hundred and eighty-three votes	283
Albert B. Ward had four hundred and ninety-three votes	493
Blanks had three hundred and twenty-eight votes	328
Scattering votes	1

For Treasurer.

Otis K. Newton had five hundred and thirteen votes	513.
Blanks had one hundred and twenty-nine votes	129.
Scattering votes	4.

For Collector.

Adams Franklin Brown had two hundred and ninety-three votes. 293.

George L. Smith had three hundred and fifteen votes. 315.

Blanks had thirty-seven votes. 37.

Scattering votes 1.

For Overseer of Poor 3 yrs.

William Wagner had five hundred and twenty-three votes. 523.

Blanks had one hundred and twenty-three votes. 123.

For Auditor.

Lawrence F. Fales had four hundred and eighty five votes. 485

Blanks had one hundred and fifty-nine votes 159.

Scattering votes 2.

For School Committee, 3 yrs.

E. Clifford Gleason had one hundred and fifty-five votes. 155.

Arthur W. Goodee had four hundred and three votes 403.

Blanks had eighty-nine votes 89

For Board of Health, 3 yrs.

Alden L. Boynton had four hundred and seventy-eight votes. 478.

Blanks had one hundred and sixty-six votes 166.

Scattering votes 2.

Trustees Public Library, 3 Yrs.

Frank W. Forbes had four hundred and twenty-nine votes 429.

Charles S. Henry had four hundred and thirty-three votes 433.

Annie Kieran had one hundred and ninety-two votes. 192.

Walter C. Metcalf had three hundred and eighty-eight votes. 388.

Blanks had four hundred and ninety-four votes. 494

Scattering votes 2

For Constables.

Dexter P. Brigham had four hundred and twenty-eight votes 428.

John P. Crowe had four hundred and thirty-six votes 436.

John Dee had four hundred and thirty-nine votes. 439

Walter B. Jourdan had three hundred and eighty votes. 380

William Magner had four hundred and thirty-nine votes. 439.

James McDonald had four hundred and forty-seven votes. 447

Henry J. Mooney had four hundred and four votes. 404.

John F. Nash had four hundred and twenty-seven votes 427.

William H. Sullivan had four hundred and ten votes 410.

Blanks had sixteen hundred and seventeen votes 1617

Scattering votes 21.

Trustee Cemeteries, 5 Yrs.

Edward T. Gilmore had four hundred and ten votes. 410

Blanks had two hundred and thirty-two votes. 232

Scattering votes 4

Water Commissioner, 3 Yrs.

Michael G. Mc Carty had four hundred ninety-seven votes. 497.

Blanks had one hundred and forty nine votes. 149

Sewer Commissioner, 3 Yrs.

Michael G. Mc Carty had four hundred and Eighty-seven votes. 487

Blanks had one hundred and fifty-nine votes. 159

Sinking Fund Commissioner, 3 Yrs.

Alden L. Boynton had four hundred and sixty-five votes. 465

Blanks had one hundred and seventy nine votes. 179

Scattering votes 2

Tree Warden.

Charles S. Henry had four hundred and fifty-three votes. 453.

Blanks had one hundred and ninety votes. 190.

Scattering votes. 3.

Licence.

Yes had two hundred and ninety three votes. 293.

No had three hundred and Eighteen votes. 318.

Blanks had thirty-five votes. 35.

The ballots used and unused, together with the check lists were sealed, attested by the election officers and delivered to the Town Clerk as the law directs.

Adjourned to Monday, March 9, 1903, nine o'clock A. M.

Westborough Mass., March 9, 1903.

Town assembled as per adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator.

Article 5. Under this article Officers were chosen as follows

Field Drivers

Edward B. Newcomb
Calvin A. Chamberlain
James F. Reilly
William J. Teasdale
Mortimer M. Rockwood

Fence Viewers.

John D. Pelts #
Prescott Sibley #
John H. Slattery #

Treasurers of Wood.

Harry H. Kimball #
Frederick W. Kimball
Nathan M. Knowlton #
John S. Mason #
Frederick A. Pratt

Surveyors of Lumber { Harris H. Kimball
Frederick H. Kimball
Nathan M. Knowlton
John S. Mason
Frederick A. Pratt

Public Weighers { Alexander Gerrare
Frederick H. Kimball
Frederick A. Pratt

Article 6. Voted that the reports of the various Town Officers be accepted and placed on file.

Article 7. Voted to pass over.

" 8. Voted to accept the list of Jurors as presented by the Selectmen; as follows: -

Clarence E. Ainsworth
Charles Allaire
James Archer
Erving H. Babcock
Samuel A. Bates
Adam C. Berry
George E. Blake
Moses E. Bombard
Charles H. Bowman
Frank L. Braley
Joseph H. Brown
R. Franklin Birchoe
Arthur H. Buxton
John H. Casey
Henry L. Chase
Sot F. Chase
Clarence H. Coggins
Albert A. Coolidge
John F. Craffey
D. Franklin Crandall
John P. Crowe
Joseph H. De Foe
Patrick J. Devin
Timothy H. Earley
Frank A. Falkner
Luke Fannon
Jonathan H. Fay
George A. Fergueson
Hyllum M. Fergueson
Herbert C. Forbes
William B. Frost
George G. Genthner
William Graham
C. Ellsworth Graves
Charles R. Griggs
Frank H. Hackett
Thomas H. Hackett
William J. Halloran
Charles L. Harrington
William H. Harmon
Arthur B Harvey
Timothy J. Hayden

Luther T. Hero
Franklin Holman
Russell F. Holton
John T. Johnson
James A. Kelly
Nathan D. Knowlton
John J. Lahive
Foster A. Lebeau
Charles L. Leonard
Michael J. Linnane
Everett A. Lord
John Malone
George H. March
Cecil A. Marshall
Charles S. Marshall
John Matheus
Michael G. McCarty
Arthur L. McDonald
Owen J. Meighan
Henry J. Mooney
Patrick C. Mooney
John F. Nash
Edwin H. Newton
Arthur M. Nourse
William C. Penniman
Frederick A. Pratt
Almon H. Putnam
Michael J. Ray
James F. Reilly
William F. Rehene
John Roche
Frederick P. Rogers
John L. Sheehan
George L. Smith
William C. Sproul
Frank A. Stone
James F. Sullivan
James C. Taft
Mason Taft
Thomas H. Treadway
George C. Walker
Irving C. Walker
Albert B. Ward
Waldo H. Warren
Fred C. Weatherhead
Frank H. Winter.

Article 9 Voted not to accept the doings of the Selectmen in laying out John Street.

" 10. Voted to pass over.

" 11. Voted to instruct the water and Sewer Commission to employ a Superintendent for both departments.

" 12. Voted to pass over.

" 13. Voted:- That the Selectmen be instructed and authorized to dispose of one or all of its unused School House property on such terms and for such sums as the said

Selectmen shall deem advantageous to the town.

Article 14 Voted to refer the drainage of Central St to the Selectmen and Sewer Commissioners to report at a subsequent meeting.

" 15. Voted to print its Town Meeting Warrants and action taken thereunder in the Annual Town Officers Report.

" 16. Voted to print the Valuation and Tax List.

" 17. Voted to leave over.

" 18. Voted that the dog fund be given to the Town Library.

" 19. Voted that the Town maintain a Night Watch.

" 20. Voted:- That section 32 of the By laws of the Town of Westborough be amended by adding the words "and no person shall place any sign, awning or other obstruction over any sidewalk at a less height than seven and one-half feet above the surface thereof," so that the same shall read as follows: No person shall ride a bicycle upon any sidewalk; nor shall any person continue to obstruct any sidewalk or public place after having been requested by a constable or police officer to move away; and no person shall place any sign, awning or other obstruction over any sidewalk at a less height than seven and one half feet above the surface thereof.

Article 21. Voted: That additional Sewer Bonds of the Town of Westboro payable in Twenty-five years from the 1st. day of November 1903 with interest payable semi-annually at the rate of 3½% per annum. the first instalment of interest to be paid on the first day of May or November succeeding the date of issue of such Bonds, and the succeeding payments of interest to be made on the first of May and November in each year. Said Bonds to be denominated Westboro Sewer Bonds, signed by the Town Treasurer and a majority of the Selectmen be issued to the amount of Five thousand dollars to pay for the extension of the Sewer System and that the Sewer Commissioners and Town Treasurer be a committee for the sale of said Bonds at public or private sale, and at such times and in such amounts, and for such prices as the said committee may deem expedient.

" 22. Voted: That additional Water Bonds of the Town of Westboro payable in twenty-two years from the 1st. day of September 1903 with interest payable semi-annually at the rate of 4% per annum. The first instalment of interest to be paid on the first day of March or September succeeding the date of issue of such Bonds and the succeeding payments of interest to be made on the first days of March and September in each year. Said Bonds to be denominated Westboro Water Bonds, signed by the Town Treasurer and a majority of the Selectmen be issued to the amount of ten thousand dollars to pay for the extensions of the Water works. And that the Water Commissioners and Town Treasurer be a committee for the sale of said Bonds at Public or Private sale and

and at such times and in such amounts and for such prices as the said Committee may deem expedient

Article 23. Voted to pass over.

" 24. Voted to pass over.

" 25 Voted:- That the Town repay Frank W. Forbes the sum of $315- (being the amount claimed by him to have been originally taxed to him in the year 1900) after the Town Treasurer has investigated and finds that Mr. Forbes did not own shares of Stock taxed to him May 1st. 1900.

" 26. Voted to pass over.

" 27. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $300 for the care of its Cemeteries.

" 28. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $2000 for Contingent expenses.

" 29. Voted: That the Town light the Streets and Public Buildings by Electric Light. Appropriated $3300 to light the Streets and all Public Buildings when used for Public purposes.

" 30. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $1625 for Salaries of the Fire Department.

That the Town pay 55 firemen $25 each and 5 Engineers $50 each.

" 31. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $1000 for Fire Department incidental expences.

Article 32. Voted to pass over.

" 33. Voted to pass over.

" 34. Voted: That the Town appropriate $3000 for the care of Highways and Bridges that the Electric Street Railroad taxes of 1903 be retained for use in 1904.

" 35. Voted: That the Town pay the Water Department $10. Each for 98 Hydrants.
That the Town appropriate the sum of $980 for Hydrants.

" 36. Voted to pass over.

" 37. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $75. to pay overdraft of last year for Gravel pits.

" 38. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $550 for expenses of the Public Library.

" 39. Voted to pass over.

" 40. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $150 for Memorial Day.

" 41. Voted to pass over.

" 42. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $4000 for its Pauper Department.

" 43. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $500 for its Police Department.

" 44. Voted: That the Salaries of the Town Officers shall be as follows:—

Town Clerk	50.00
Selectmen	300.00
Assessors	500.00
Treasurer	250.00
Collector of Taxes	250.00
Overseers of Poor	200.00
Auditor	50.00
Water Commissioners	150.00
Registrars of Voters	180.00
Treasurer of the Sinking Funds	75.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	45.00

Collector, Treasurer, and Treasurer of the Sinking Fund (to pay for his Bond)

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $2050 for Salaries of Town Officers.

Article 45. Voted: That the Town appropriate $11500 for its Public Schools.

" 46. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $2000 for School Incidentals.

" 47. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $1000 for Sewer Maintenence.

" 48. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $1400 for Sewer Sinking Fund.

" 49. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $300 for the care of its sidewalks and crossings.

" 50. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $500 for Soldiers Relief.

" 51. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $1000 for the Expenses of its Town Hall.

Article 52. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $150 — for the use of the Tree Warden.
Voted: That if the Elm Tree Beetle should make its appearance in Westboro the money shall be expended under the advice of the Selectmen and Tree Warden.

" 53. Voted to pass over.

" 54 Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $150 for watering such of its public Street and such parts of its public streets as shall be designated by the Board of Selectmen and the Estates abutting on the public streets or part of public streets thus designated and watered be assessed 75% of the cost of such watering and that the Assessors assess the abutters $450.

" 55. Voted that the Town appropriate the sum of $2500 for Loan of 1896. That the Town appropriate $900 for the Loan of 1899.
$900= Interest on Funded Debt.
$1700= Interest on Temporary Loans.
$1160= Interest on Town Notes.
$250= Interest on Cemetery Funds.
$2515= Interest on Sewer Bonds.
$315 38/100= Overdraft-Cottage Street Drain
$194 = Military Aid Account.
Voted: That the Town grant the sum of forty-six thousand, nine hundred and sixty-one dollars and thirty-eight cents ($46,961.38) for current expenses.

" 56. Voted: To have the Town Treasurer receive the Ann S. Stone legacy of $2000 for the purpose of Erecting a Chapel in Pine Grove Cemetery and instruct the Cemetery Trustees to erect a Chapel in accordance with the

terms of the request.

Appropriations were made, as follows, under the Warrant.

Library	550.00
Cemeteries	300.00
Contingent Expenses	2000.00
Lighting the Streets	3300.00
Salaries Fire Department	1625.00
Expenses Fire Department	1000.00
Highways and Bridges	3000.00
Memorial Day	150.00
Gravel Pits (For Overdrafts)	75.00
Pauper Department	4000.00
Police Department	500.00
Salaries of Town Officers	2050.00
Schools	11500.00
School Incidentals	2000.00
Sewer Maintenance	1000.00
Sewer Sinking Fund	1400.00
Sidewalks and Crossings	300.00
Soldiers' Relief	500.00
Town Hall	1000.00
Tree Warden	150.00
Watering Public Streets	150.00
Hydrants @ 10 each 98	980.00
Loan of 1896	2500.00
Loan of 1899	900.00
Interest on Funded Debt	900.00
" " Temporary Loans	1700.00
" " Town Notes	160.00
" " Cemetery Fund	250.00
" " Sewer Bonds	2515.00
Overdrafts Cottage Street Drain	312.38
Military Aid Account	194.00
	46961.38

Voted: That the Meeting be dissolved at 4.10 P.M.

Attest — Joseph S. Gates

In Board of Selectmen
Westboro, Massachusetts, 1903.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway.

After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Relocation of present poles on Belmont street from a point where Boston and Worcester St. Ry. leaves the highway, east of Otis Street, to a point below the new car barn of the Boston and Worcester St. Ry. Company west of Otis street.

The poles shall not be relocated without the assent of the Selectmen in each and every case.

Signatures of Selectmen.

T. H. Reilly
Richard Fay Parker.
George H. Rogers.

1903

Appointments 1903.

March 18	Edmund L. Brigham,	# Registrar of Voters.
–	F. H. Treadway,	# Sealer of Weights & Measures
	John Dee,	# Janitor of Town Hall.
	John Dee,	# Keeper of Stockup
–	William H. Sullivan,	# Highway Surveyor
–	Dr. Wm. M. Balmer,	# Cattle Inspector
	James H. McDonald,	Fire Engineer
	James Brady,	" "
	Thomas H. Treadway,	" "
	Thomas H. Hackett,	" "
	John P. Crowe,	" "
May 13	Oscar L. Marshall,	# Special Police
	Ralph H. Barnard,	# " "
	Frank W. Peckham	# " "
	James Craig	# " "
	E. W. Paine,	# " "
	Daniel A. Rawson,	# " "
	Patrick C. Mooney,	# " "
	Loren R. Potter	# " "
	Edmund S. Whitney,	# " "
	William F. Kelliher,	# " "
	George Loring,	# " "
	William Deneen,	# " "
	Martin W. McNally,	# " "
	H. E. Warren,	# " "
June 3	Isaac Fairbanks,	# " "
	Amandus F. Brown,	# " "
	James H. Butler,	#

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester S.S.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Tuesday the third day of November at Six o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To bring in on one ballot their votes for,
One Governor.
One Lieutenant Governor.
One Secretary
One Treasurer.
One Auditor
One Attorney General.
One Councillor for Seventh Worcester District
One Senator for Fifth Worcester District.
Two Representatives for Tenth Worcester District
One Register of Probate and Insolvency.
Two County Commissioners, one for the regular term of three years, and one for the remainder of the term of three years from January 1903.
One Register of Deeds for Worcester for Worcester County, and One County Treasurer.

The Polls may be closed at four o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester. S.S.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester.

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed, to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified, to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday. the fifteenth day of June Current, at 7.45 o'clock in the afternoon, there and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To hear and act upon reports of officers and committees of the town.

" 3. To see if the Town will give the Board of Selectmen authority to contract with the State Highway Commission for the construction of the section of State highway provided for under the allotment of five thousand dollars by said commission.

" 4. To see if the town will accept the doings of the Selectmen in laying out John Street

" 5. To see if the town will accept the doings of the Selectmen in laying out Way Street.

" 6. To see if the town will return to Frank W. Forbes, the sum of three hundred and fifteen dollars-being the amount claimed by him to have been unjustly taxed to him in the year 1900 and paid by him,- or act

anything in relation to the same.

Articles 7. To see if the town will have the Town House painted and the interior repaired or act anything in relation to the same.

" 8 To see if the town will appropriate two hundred dollars for draining the main drain leading into cedar swamp.

" 9 To see if the town will appropriate two hundred dollars for Band Concerts on the public Square.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this eighth day of June in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and three.

F. H. Reilly
Richard Fay Parker
George F. Rogers
Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, June 8th., 1903.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner, Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.

June 15, 1903

Meeting called to order at 7.45 P.M. by Town Clerk J. S. Gates. who read the warrant, under

Article 1 J. W. Bolton was elected Moderator.

" 3 Voted, That the work of construction of the section of State Highway in the Town of Westborough, be performed so far as possible by the legal voters thereof.

" 2 The Selectmen reported relative to the drainage of Central street-an engineer was employed to take levels and after so doing he said the cost would be nine hundred and forty ($940) dollars but he thought it could not be drained satisfactorily as the fall is so slight.

" 4 The Moderator ruled the article out of order and it was passed over.

" 5 The Moderator ruled the article out of order and it was passed over.

" 6 Voted, To indefinitely postpone it.

" 7 Voted, To refer the subject matter to the Selectmen to investigate and report at a future meeting, also that they look into the matter of ventilation of the Town Hall.

" 8 Voted, To appropriate the sum of ($200.00) two hundred dollars.

rticle 9 Voted. To pass over.

Voted. That the meeting dissolve at 9.10 P.M.

attest-

A. S. Gates.
Town Clerk

Westboro, Mass. July 3, 1903.

Special Police appointed for July 3rd & 4th, 1903.

Salon Curtis
Luke Fannon
F. W. Powers
James Elkins
Percy Sabretelle
Thomas Matthews
James A. Butler

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester.

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the tenth day of August current, next, at eight o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To hear and act on reports of officers and committees of the town.

" 3. To see if the Town will appropriate fifteen hundred dollars to repaint, repair, and redecorate the Town House, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 4. To see if the Town will appropriate two thousand dollars for heating and ventilating the main hall of the Town House, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 5. To see if the Town will take action toward building a new Town House.

" 6. To see if the Town will appropriate fifteen hundred dollars for the Contingent fund.

" 7. To see what action the Town will take relative to its interest under the will of the late Annie E. Rice.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested Copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven Days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

Herof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough, on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our Hands this third day of August in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and three.

T. H. Reilly
Richard Fay Parker
George H. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester SS.

Westboro, August 3rd 1903.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner. Constable of Westboro

Westborough, Mass.
August 10, 1903.

Meeting called to order at 8 P. M., by Town Clerk, J. S. Gates who read the warrant, under

Article 1. J. H. Slattery was elected Moderator.

" 2. The Selectmen reported in regard to the Hall. Voted to accept the report.

" 3. Voted: To pass over.

" 4. Voted: To pass over.

" 5. Voted: To pass over.

" 6. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $2000 for the Contingent Fund.

" 7. Voted: That the Board of Selectmen be given full Power to act for the interest of the Town, under the will of the late Annie E. Rice.

Voted that the meeting dissolve at 9 P. M.

attest-

Joseph S Gates
Town Clerk

Office of Selectmen
Westborough, Mass
October 10, 1903.

To Harry A. Kimball, You are hereby appointed Town Treasurer for the Town of Westborough for the unexpired term of Otis K. Newton, deceased

T. H. Reilly
Geo. H. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Gubernatorial Election 1903.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the City of Worcester, in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Tuesday the third day of November next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To bring in your ballot their votes for.

Governor
Lieutenant Governor.
Secretary.
Treasurer.
Auditor
Attorney General.
Councillor for Seventh Worcester District.
Senator for Fifth Worcester District.
Two Representatives for South Worcester District.
Register of Probate and Insolvency.
Two County Commissioners, one for the regular term of three years, and one for the remainder of the term of three years from January 1903.
Register of Deeds for Worcester for Worcester County and County Treasurer.

The Polls may be closed at four o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town

seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.
Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.
Given under our hands this twenty-fourth day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and three.

F. H. Billy
Richard Fay Parker
George H. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, SS. Westboro Oct 27th 1903.
I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm Magner,
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
November 3, 1903.

In pursuance with the foregoing Warrant the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in the Town Hall and were called to order at 6 o'clock in the forenoon by Thomas H. Reilly, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who proceeded to read the Warrant.

George M. Howe, William J. Halloran, William H. Sanford, James B. Putnam, Ballot Clerks were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. The ballots were delivered to the presiding officer who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.

The Ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found empty, was locked and the keys were given to Constable, John F. [illegible]

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness the voting began.

Luke Fannon — Thomas H. Hackett
Johnston R. J. Warren Fay — Frank J. Hannon
Henry L. Chase — Jeremiah F. Hogan
Orra M. Robinson — John Matthews

were duly sworn as Tellers by the Town Clerk.

It was unanimously voted by the Election Officers and Town Clerk to open the ballot box at 9 A. M.

At 9 A. M. the ballot box was opened and two
252 hundred and fifty-two (252) ballots taken therefrom.

At 11 A. M. the ballot box was opened and
361. one hundred and nine (109) ballots taken therefrom.

At 11.45 A. M. the ballot box was opened and
406. forty-five (45) ballots taken therefrom.

At 2.30 P.M. the ballot box was opened
5/1. and one hundred and eighty-four (184)
ballots taken therefrom. Voted to close polls at 4.30
At 4.30 P.M. the ballot box was opened
647 and five seven (57) ballots taken
therefrom.

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box, and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked, and the keys given to the Constable.

The presiding officer announced that six hundred and forty-seven (647) ballots had been distributed and six hundred and forty-seven (647) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 647.

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared and read by the presiding officer at 5.40 o'clock P.M. as follows.

For Governor.

John L Bates of Boston, had Three hundred and ninety-eight 398.
Thomas F Brennan of Salem, had seven. 7.
John C. Chase of Haverhill, had thirty-four. 34.
Oliver H. Cobb of Easthampton, had four. 4
William A. Easton of Boston, had one hundred and ninety-nine. 199.
Blanks. 5.

For Lieutenant Governor

John Quincy Adams of Amesbury had twenty-five. 25.
Curtis Guild Jr. of Boston had four hundred and seven. 407.

William F. Merrill of Malden had twenty. 20.
Richard Olney, 2d of Leicester had one hundred and sixty-five. 165.
Moritz E. Luther of Holyoke had five. 5.
Blanks 25.

Secretary.

Olof Bokelund of Worcester had twenty-one. 21.
John F. Coyle of Lynn had seven. 7.
Alfred L. Cutting of Weston had seven. 7.
Ezekiel M. Ezekiel of Springfield had one hundred and sixty-three. 163.
Wm. M. Olin of Boston had four hundred and sixteen 416
Blanks 33.

Treasurer & Receiver General.

John A. Billings of Rockland had twenty-three. 23.
Edward S. Bradford of Springfield had four hundred and thirteen 413.
Napoleon B. Johnson of Milford had six. 6.
Frederick A. Nagler of Springfield had nineteen. 19
Thomas C. Thacher of Yarmouth had one hundred and fifty-one. 151
Blanks 35.

Auditor.

John H. Hagan of Lynn had eight. 8.
Joseph Orr of Chicopee had twenty one 21.
Alfred E. Steele of Northampton had five. 5.
Francois V. Tetrault of Southbridge had one hundred and sixty-one. 161.
Henry E. Turner of Malden had four hundred and ten. 410
Blanks. 42.

Attorney General.

John A. Anderson of Gardner had six 6.
William J. Carroll of Lowell had twenty-four. 24
Henry M. Dean of Hyde Park had eight. 8.
John J. Flaherty of Gloucester had one hundred and fifty-seven. 157.
Herbert [illegible] of Lancaster had four hundred and fourteen. 414.
Blanks. 38.

Councillor - Seventh District.

Christopher D. Albro of Milford had seven. 7.
Arthur E. Lowe of Fitchburg had four hundred and eleven. 411.
John O'Gara of Spencer had one hundred and sixty-seven. 167.
Henry L. Rice of Fitchburg had twenty-four. 24
Blanks. 38.

Senator - Fifth Worcester District.

Burrell W. Morse of Oxford had thirty. 30.
Edward L. Osgood of Hopedale had three hundred and eighty-one. 381.
Edward H. Taft of Mendon had twelve. 12.
Samuel B. Taft of Uxbridge one hundred and eighty-three. 183.
Blanks. 41.

Representatives in General Court.

Tenth Worcester District.

George [illegible] Cook of Milford had one hundred and thirty-one. 131.
Lowell E. Fales of Milford had three hundred and sixty-three. 363.
Charles H. Johnson of Upton had twenty-nine. 29.
John S. Nason of Westborough had four hundred and thirteen. 413.
Walter W. True of Upton had one hundred and forty-one. 141.

John Wulf of Milford had seventeen. 17.
Blanks 200.

County Commissioner - Worcester.

Andrew Davidson of Fitchburg had twenty-nine. 29.
Jeremiah Potter of Clinton had seven. 7.
Emerson Stone of Spencer had four hundred and two. 40[illegible].
Loren B Walker of Clinton had one hundred and sixty-four. 164.
Blanks 45

County Commissioner - Worcester.

(To fill vacancy for remainder of term of three years from first Wednesday of January, 1903)

Gideon M. Aldrich of Uxbridge had one hundred and fifty-seven. 157.
Warren Goodale of Clinton had four hundred and six. 406.
Charles K Hardy of Worcester had thirty-five. 35.
Blanks. 49

Register of Probate and Insolvency.
Worcester County

George H. Harlow of Worcester had four hundred and twelve. 412.
Maurice L. Katz of Worcester had one hundred and fifty-four. 154.
Thomas F. Maroney of Worcester had twenty-seven. 27.
Charles W. Park of Millbury had thirteen. 13.
Blanks. 41.

Register of Deeds - Worcester District

Herman P. Hopkins of Millbury had one hundred and sixty-eight. 168.
Daniel Kent of Worcester had three hundred and ninety-seven. 397.
Blanks. 82

County Treasurer - Worcester

Edward L. Brown of Worcester had four hundred and eight. 408.

John Metcalfe of Worcester had eight. 8.

Nicholas Mooney of Worcester had one hundred and sixty. 160.

Henry E. Potter of Fitchburg had twenty-six. 26.

Blanks. 45

To vote on the following, mark a cross X in the square at the right of Yes or No.-

Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and three, entitled "An Act to provide for joint caucuses or primaries of all political and municipal parties," be accepted?

Yes	244
No	155.

Blanks. 233.

After the declaration of the result of the voting the ballots used and unused together with the check lists were sealed and attested by the Election Officers and delivered to the Town Clerk in accordance with the statutes.

The necessary returns to the Secretary of the Commonwealth were filled out and signed by the Selectmen and Town Clerk after which it was voted to adjourn. The presiding officer accordingly declared the meeting dissolved.

Attest

Joseph S. Gale
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in Westborough, on Tuesday the third day of November at half-past seven o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To see if the Town will release the Commonwealth of Massachusetts from any and all damages or claims (whatever) caused by any change of grade taking of land or extension of slopes or embankments, or excavations, along the line of the proposed State Highway on East Main St., within the limits of the Town, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 3. To see if the Town will appropriate Sixteen hundred and ninety-one dollars the amount decreed by the Court to be paid the Boston and Albany Railroad Company on account of Grade Crossings in Westboro.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this

Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-fourth day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and three.

T. H. Reilly,
Richard Fay Parker
George H. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough

Worcester, S.S.

Westboro, Oct 27th. 1903.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting an attested copies thereof at the post office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner,
Constable of Westboro.

People's Savings Bank.

Worcester, Mass. Jan 22, 1904.

Chairman, Board of Selectmen,
Westboro, Mass.

Dear Sir;

In accordance with provisions of Chapter 113, Section 44 of the Revised Laws, I hereby inform you that there is on deposit in this Bank to the credit of the Town of Westboro Cemetery Fund, Perpetual Fund, the sum of $1000.

Yours truly
C. H. C. Bent.

Westborough, Mass.
November 3, 1913.

Meeting called to order at 7:00 P. M., by Town Clerk, J. S. Gates who read the warrant, under.

Article 1. J. H. Slattery was elected Moderator.

" 2. Voted: That the Town indemnify the Commonwealth of Massachusetts from any and all damages or claims whatever caused by any change of grade, taking of land or extension of slopes on embankments or excavations, along the line of the proposed State Highway on East Main St. within the limits of the Town.

" 3. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of sixteen hundred and ninety-one ($1691) dollars, the amount decreed by the Court to be paid the Boston and Albany Railroad Company on account of Grade Crossings in Westboro.

Voted: That the meeting dissolve at 7.55 P.M.

Attest— Joseph S. Gates
Town Clerk

Hopedale, Mass.
Nov. 13, 1903.

At a meeting of the Town Clerks of Districts No. Ten, County of Worcester, it appeared by the returns that

Edwell E. Fiske of Milford had in Hopedale 323.
" " " " " " Mendon 69
" " " " " " Milford 582.
" " " " " " Upton 186.
" " " " " " Westborough 363
1523

Charles N. Johnson of Upton, had in Hopedale 27
" " " " " " Mendon 8
" " " " " " Milford 90
" " " " " " Upton 18
" " " " " " Westborough 29
172

Josiah S. Mason of Westborough, had in Hopedale 293
" " " " " " Mendon 68
" " " " " " Milford 497
" " " " " " Upton 158
" " " " " " Westborough 413
1429

George F. Cook of Milford, had in Hopedale 40
" " " " " " Mendon 27
" " " " " " Milford 859
" " " " " " Upton 75
" " " " " " Westborough 131
1132.

Walter F. Tenney of Upton had in Hopedale 36
" " " " " " Mendon 29
" " " " " " Milford 777
" " " " " " Upton 146
" " " " " " Westborough 141
1129

John Wulf of Milford had in	Hopedale	22
" " " " " "	Mendon	8
" " " " " "	Milford	115
" " " " " "	Upton	5
" " " " " "	Westborough	17
		167

Will E. Southland of Milford had in Milford 1.

Blanks		Hopedale	121.
Mendon	51	Milford	497.
Upton	142	Westborough	200
		Total Blanks	1011
Total Vote in District			6564.

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the 10th. Representative District, Worcester County, certify that the above is a true statement of the returns of votes cast on the 3rd. day of November, 1903 for Representatives to the General Court, made by us by the Selectmen of the towns in said District.

Wm. H. Jordan — Town Clerk of Hopedale.
John T. McLaughlin Town Clerk of Mendon.
Horace C. Adams Town Clerk of Milford
Francis T. Nelson Town Clerk of Upton.
Joseph S. Gates Town Clerk of Westborough

Lowell E. Fales of Milford, and John S. Nason of Westborough having pluralaties of all the votes cast were declared elected and certificates of election issued.

Hopedale, Mass.
November 13th 1903

attest - J S Gates Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester, SS.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the seventh day of March 1904 at six-thirty o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following Articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to borrow money for Town purposes in anticipation of tax collections.

" 3. To see if the Town will choose a committee to consider appropriations for the ensuing year and report at an adjourned meeting.

" 4. To bring in on one ballot their votes for the following officers: Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three Assessors, Collector of Taxes, one Overseer of the Poor, Auditor, one member of the School Committee, one member of the Board of Health, three Trustees of Public Library, nine Constables, one Trustee of Cemetery, one Water Commissioner for three years, one Sewer Commissioner for three years, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, Tree Warden, and vote "Yes" or "No" on the question "Shall License be granted for the Sale of intoxicating liquors in this Town."

" 5. To choose all other necessary Town Officers.

" 6. To hear and act on the reports of the various

Town Officers

Article 7. To hear and act on the reports of any outstanding committee.

" 8. To see if the Town will accept the list of jurors presented by the Selectmen.

" 9. To see if the Town will instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a Superintendent for both departments.

" 10. To see if the Town will print its Warrants and the action taken thereon in the annual Town officers report.

" 11. To see if the Town will print its valuation and tax list.

" 12. To see what disposition the Town will make of its Dog Fund.

" 13. To see if the Town will maintain a night watch.

" 14. To see if the Town will refund the whole or any part of its floating debt.

" 15. To see if the Town will adopt an ordinance or by-law to provide for licensing dealers in junk old, metals, second hand articles, rags Etc.

" 16. To see if the Town will vote to increase its representation upon its School Committee as provided in Sec. 334, Chap. 11 of the revised laws, so that said Committee shall consist of six or nine members.

" 17. To see what disposition the Town will make of all such revenue sums it may collect during

the ensuing year, from sources other than taxation upon real or personal estate.

" 18. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the settlement of the Burgoyne case with the Worcester Consolidated St. Ry.

" 19. To see if the Town will co-operate with the Town of Sutton in celebrating its two hundredth anniversary or act anything in relation to the same.

" 20. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Fire Department Salaries and fix the same for the coming year.

To see what sums the Town will appropriate for its Fire Department Incidentals, for the Town Hall, for the care of its Highways and Bridges, for its Pauper Department, for its contingent expenses, for the care of its Cemeteries, for its Public Library, for its Health Department and for the support of its Public Schools; also for its Police Department, for salaries of Town Officers, for Street Lighting by Electricity, for Fire Alarm Signal, for use of Hydrants, for Memorial Day, for Sewer Maintenance, for Sewer Sinking Fund, for Water Sinking Fund, for Sidewalks and Crossings, for Soldiers Relief, for Tree Warden, and for Street Watering.

To see if the Town will appropriate money for current expenses, and grant an amount sufficient to cover all appropriations made under this Warrant.

The polls shall remain open until three o'clock in the afternoon, at which hour the

time for closing may be fixed by vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-seventh day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and four.

T. A. Reilly
Richard F. Fay Parker
George A. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough

Worcester, S.S.

Westboro, Feb. 29, 1904.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm Wagner.
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
March 7, 1904.

In pursuance with the foregoing warrant the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in Town Hall and at 6.30 o'clock A.M. were called to order by the Town Clerk, who proceeded to read the Warrant and under

Article 1 Proceeded to ballat for Moderator, Edwin B. Harvey had eighty-six (86) votes and John A. Slattery had eighty-eight (88) votes. John A. Slattery was declared elected and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

" 2. Voted, that for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the town of Westborough, Mass. in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year, the town Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to borrow from time to time, with the approval of a majority of the board of Selectmen, a sum of sums not exceeding in the aggregate thirty thousand dollars and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town therefor, payable within one year from the time the loan is made. Any debt or debts incurred by a loan or loans to the town under this vote shall be paid from the said taxes of the present municipal year.

" 3. Voted, that the Moderator appoint a committee of seven to consider appropriations for the ensuing year. The following committee was appointed: Adams F. Brown, J. S. Gates, J. P. Crowe, A. E. Fairbanks, Thomas Hackett, T. J. Hastie, A. H. Sanford.

Article 4. At 6.45 A. M., the polls were declared open, and the following list of Election Officers having been sworn: William Halloran
George H. Howe
G. A. Sanford
F. B. Putnam, Tellers in charge of the check lists.
D. M. Robinson
John Mathews
D. F. Hogan
C. A. Lord
J. R. J. H. Fay
John Roche
Luke Fannon
J. F. Sullivan, Ballot Clerks.
James A. McDonald, Constable.
Balloting commenced.

263. At 8.30 a. m., the ballot box was opened and two hundred and sixty-three (263) ballots taken therefrom.

At 11.10 a. m. the ballot box was opened and
500. two hundred and thirty-seven (237) ballots taken therefrom.

Voted to close the polls at 4.30 P. M.

At 2.45 P. M., the ballot box was opened and two-
men 781. hundred and eighty-one (281) ballots taken
woman therefrom, also one ballot cast by a woman, for the School Committee.

At 3. P. M., voted that when the meeting is adjourned it be adjourned to March 14, 1904 at 9 o'clock A. M.

At 4.30 P. M. the ballot box was opened and
814. thirty-three (33) ballots taken therefrom.
1 woman

The Moderator announced that eight hundred and fifteen (815) ballots had been distributed and eight hundred and fifteen (815) names had been checked on the list of voters used that day

The total number of ballots cast was 815.

After the ballots had been counted the result was

declared at 6.15 P. M. as follows;

Town Officers:

For Town Clerk

Joseph S. Gates had five hundred and sixty-two votes 562

Blanks had two hundred and forty-seven votes. 247

Scattering votes 5

Whole number of votes, eight hundred and fourteen 814

For Selectmen.

Richard Fay Parker had six hundred and seventy-four votes. 674

Thomas H. Reilly had six hundred and fifty-three votes 653.

George A. Rogers had six hundred and sixteen votes 616

Blanks had four hundred and seventy eight votes 478

Scattering votes 21

For Assessors.

Henry L. Chase had six hundred and sixty-three votes. 663.

Daniel P. Day had six hundred and thirty-nine votes 639.

Edward T. Gilmore had five hundred and seventy votes 570.

Blanks had five hundred and fifty-seven votes. 557

Scattering votes 13.

For Treasurer.

Harry A. Kimball had five hundred and ninety-seven votes. 597

Blanks had two hundred and twelve votes. 212.

Scattering votes 5

Sworn

For Collector.

George O. Smith had six hundred and fifty-five votes. 655.
Blanks had one hundred and fifty two votes. 152.
Scattering votes 7

For Overseer of Poor, 3 Yrs.

Uriah Searles had five hundred and seventy-eight votes. 578.
Blanks had two hundred and thirty-four votes 234
Scattering votes 2

For Auditor.

Lawrence Tales had six hundred and seventeen votes 617.
Blanks had one hundred and ninety six votes. 196.
Scattering votes 1.

For School Committee, 3 Yrs.

Albert W. F. Clark had five hundred and seventeen votes. 517.
John P. Crowe had two hundred and seven votes 207.
Blanks had eighty-eight votes. 88.
Scattering votes 3.

For Board of Health, 3 Yrs.

James Brady had one hundred and seventy-one votes. 171.
Daniel P. Lilley had five hundred and twenty-two votes. 522.
Blanks had one hundred and twenty one votes. 121.

For Trustees Town Library, 3 Yrs.

Edwin B. Harvey had five hundred and twenty votes. 520

Annie E. Keevan had two hundred and forty-eight votes. 248.

Emma S. Source had five hundred and forty-eight votes. 548

Melvin H. Walker had four hundred and forty-seven votes. 447.

Blanks had six hundred and seventy-seven votes. 677.

Scattering votes 2.

For Constables.

Dexter P. Brigham had five hundred and sixty five votes 565

John P. Crowe had five hundred and fifty-seven votes. 557.

John Dee had five hundred and sixty-three votes. 563.

Walter B. Jourdan had five hundred and twenty votes. 520.

William Wagner had five hundred and sixty-six votes. 566.

James Mc Donald had five hundred and sixty-three votes 563.

Henry G. Mooney had five hundred and thirty six votes. 536.

John F. Nash had five hundred and sixty-one votes. 561.

William H. Sullivan had five hundred and forty-one votes. 541.

Blanks had two thousand three hundred and forty three votes. 2343.

Scattering votes. 21.

Trustee Cemeteries, 5 Yrs.

Edwin B. Harvey had five hundred and twenty-six votes .526.

Blanks had two-hundred and eighty-three votes 283

Scattering votes 5

For Water Commissioner, 3 Yrs.

Ira M. Beaman had five hundred and fifty-eight votes 558
Blanks had two hundred and fifty votes 250
Scattering votes 6

For Sewer Commissioner, 3 Yrs.

Ira M. Beaman had five hundred and fifty-nine votes. 559
Blanks had two hundred and forty-nine votes. 249
Scattering votes. 6.

For Sinking Fund Commissioner, 3 Yrs.

George L. Smith had five hundred and eighty-five votes. 585
Blanks had two hundred and twenty six votes 226.
Scattering votes 3.

For Tree Warden.

Charles S. Henry had five hundred and fifty-seven votes 557
Blanks had two hundred and fifty three votes 253.
Scattering votes 4.

License.

Yes had four hundred and nine votes. 409.
No had three hundred and eighty-six votes 386.
Blanks had nineteen votes. 19.

The ballots used, and unused, together with the check lists were sealed, attested by the election officers and delivered to the Town Clerk as the law directs.

Adjourned to Monday, March 14, 1904, nine o'clock, a.m.

Sworn

Westborough, Mass. March 14, 1904.

Town assembled as per adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator.

Article 5. Under this article Officers were chosen as follows.

Field Drivers
- William F. Kelliher
- Otis A. Freeman
- Addison S. Aldrich
- Robert B. Pierpont
- Henry L. Denham
- Ernest L. Leonard
- # Arthur L. Kingsbury
- Warren P. Jackson

Fence Viewers
- John D. Wells #
- John W. Slattery #

Measurers of Wood
- Harry W. Kimball #
- Nathan M. Knowlton #
- John S. Nason #

Surveyors of Lumber
- Harry W. Kimball #
- Nathan M. Knowlton #
- John S. Nason #

Public Weighers
- Alexander Gervais #
- Frederick W. Kimball #
- Frederick A. Pratt #

Article 6. Voted, that the reports of the various Town Officers be accepted and placed on file.

" 7. Voted, that the report of the appropriation committee be received and acted upon under Article 20.

" 8. Voted, to accept the list of Jurors as presented

by the Selectmen; as follows:—

Clarence E. Ainsworth
Charles Allaire
James Archer
Erving W. Babcock
Samuel A. Bates
Moses E. Bombard
Charles H. Bowman
Frank G. Braley
Joseph L. Brown
R. Franklin Burhoe
Arthur L. Buxton
John W. Casey
Henry L. Chase
Carl F. Chase
Clarence A. Coggins
John F. Crafts
B. Franklin Crandall
John P. Crowe
Patrick F. Cunn
Timothy W. Earley
Frank H. Falkner
Luke Fannon
Jonathan W. Fay
George A. Ferguson
William M. Ferguson
Herbert C. Forbes
William B. Frost
George G. Genthner
William Graham
C. Ellsworth Graves
Henry O. Green
Charles R. Griggs
Frank H. Hackett
Thomas H. Hackett
William J. Halloran
Charles L. Harrington
Arthur B. Harvey
Timothy J. Haydon
Butler W. Hero
Franklin Holman
Russell F. Holton
John T. Johnson
James A. Kelley
Nathan W. Knowlton
John J. Lahire
Foster A. Lebeau
Charles L. Leonard
Michael J. Linnane
George W. Marsh
Oscar S. Marshall
Charles S. Marshall
John Mathews
Michael J. McCarty
Arthur L. McDonald
Owen J. Meighan
Henry J. Mooney
Patrick C. Mooney
John F. Nash
Arthur M. Nowell
Frederick J. Pratt
Simon N. Putnam
Michael J. Ray
James F. Reilly
William F. Revere
John Roche
Frederick P. Rogers
John J. Sheehan
George A. Smith
William C. Sproul
Frank N. Stone
James F. Sullivan
James E. Taft
Mason Taft
Thomas H. Treadway

George E. Walker
Irving E. Walker
Waldo H. Warren
Fred C. Featherhead
Frank H. Winter.

Article 9. Voted, that the town instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a superintendent for both departments.

" 10. Voted. To print the Town Meeting Warrants and action taken thereunder in the Annual Town Officers Report.

" 11. Voted to print the Valuation and Tax List.

" 12. Voted, that the dog fund be given to the Town Library.

" 13. Voted, that the town maintain a Night Watch.

" 14. Voted, that the Library note of 1898 for $2000, due the current year, be refunded and made payable in 1908. That the loan of 1899 of $3000, due the current years, be refunded and made payable in 1909.

" 15. Voted; to pass over.

" 16. Voted, that the Town vote an increase of membership upon its school committee by electing thereto at its next annual meeting, six additional members, in the manner provided in chapter 334 of the Revised Laws, so that then and thereafter until otherwise ordered by the town, the said committee shall consist of nine members.

" 17. Voted to pass over.

" 18. Voted, that the Selectmen take legal counsel

regarding the Burgoyne case, and if in their opinion advisable to sue the Worcester Consolidated St. Railway Company.

Article 19. Voted, that the Town be represented by the Board of Selectmen and three other citizens appointed by them.

" 20. Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars ($100) for the Board of Health.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) for the care of its Cemeteries.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars ($3500) for Contingent expenses.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for Fire Department expenses.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars ($1625) for Fire Department salaries.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of eight hundred and sixty-six dollars and seven cents ($866.07) - (omit)

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand seven hundred and sixty-five dollars ($2765) for Highways and Bridges.

Voted, that the Town pay the Water Department ten dollars ($10) each for 98 hydrants. That the Town appropriate the sum of nine hundred and eighty dollars ($980) for Hydrants.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300) for interest on Cemetery Fund.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of eight hundred and twenty-five dollars ($825) for interest on funded debt.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand six hundred and ninety dollars ($2690) for Sewer Bonds.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand seven hundred dollars ($1700) for Temporary Loans.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of one hundred and thirty dollars ($130) for Town Notes.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) for Memorial Day.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of seven hundred dollars ($700) for exp. exes of the Public Library.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of three thousand eight hundred dollars ($3800) for the Fauber Department.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars ($1200) for the Police Department.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500) for Sidewalks and Crossings.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of thirteen thousand dollars ($13,000) for the Public Schools.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars ($2400) for School Incidentals.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of eight hundred dollars ($800) for Soldiers' Relief.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of three thousand three hundred dollars ($3300) for Street Lights.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars ($175) for Street Watering.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500) for Sewer Maintenance.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand four hundred dollars ($1400) for Sewer Sinking Fund.

Salaries

Voted, that the Town appropriate one hundred dollars ($100) for Town Clerk; three hundred dollars ($300) for Selectmen, five hundred dollars ($500) for Assessors, two hundred and fifty dollars ($250) for Treasurer, three hundred dollars ($300) for Collector, two hundred dollars ($200) for Overseers of the Poor, fifty dollars ($50) for Auditor, one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) for Water Commissioners, one hundred and eighty dollars ($180) for Registrars, seventy-five dollars ($75) for Treasurer Sinking Funds, forty-five dollars ($45) for Sealer of Weights and Measures, one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) for Inspector of Animals.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for the Town Hall.

Voted, that the Town Officers Salaries shall be as follows:-

Town Clerk, one hundred dollars ($100.)
Selectmen, three hundred dollars ($300)
Treasurer, two hundred and fifty dollars ($250)
Collector, three hundred dollars ($300) and that in addition to his stated salary the collector of taxes receive five per cent of poll tax collection from persons paying poll tax only, and that the town furnish the collector's supplies as heretofore.
Overseers of the Poor, two hundred dollars ($200)
Auditor, fifty dollars, ($50.)
Water Commissioners, one hundred and fifty dollars, ($150.)
Treasurer Sinking Funds, seventy-five dollars ($75.)
Sealer of Weights and Measures, forty-five dollars ($45.)
Inspector of Animals, one hundred and fifty dollars ($150.)

Voted, that the Town grant the sum of forty-seven thousand and forty dollars ($47,040) for current expenses.

Appropriations under the Warrant were made as follows:

Board of Health	100.00
Cemeteries	200.00
Contingent	3500.00
Fire Department Expenses	1000.00
Fire Department Salaries	1625.00
Highways & Bridges	2765.00
Hydrants, 98 at $10 each	980.00
Interest on Cemetery Fund	30.00
" " Funded Debt	825.00
" " Sewer Bonds	2690.00
" " Temporary Loans	1700.00
" " Town States	130.00
Memorial Day	150.00
Public Library, Dog Fund	700.00
Pauper Department	3800.00
Police Department	1200.00
Sidewalks and Crossings	500.00
Schools	13,000.00
School Incidentals	2400.00
Soldiers' Relief	800.00
Street Lights	3300.00
Street Watering	175.00
Sewer Maintenance	500.00
Sewer Sinking Fund	1400.00
Salaries	2300.00
Town House	1000.00
	$47040.00

Voted, that the meeting be dissolved at 12.20 P.M.

Attest -

Joseph S. Gale
Town Clerk

Office of Town Clerk.
Westborough, Apr. 26, 1904.

To Geneva A. Perry,

In accordance with Section 62, Chapter 25, R. L. you are hereby appointed Assistant Town Clerk for the Town of Westborough, Mass., to take effect at this date.

[L. S]
attest—

Joseph S. Gale
Town Clerk

(Sworn by [illegible]
Town Clerk)

Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Massachusetts, May 18, 1904.

Ordered: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect, and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said City as hereinafter designated.

All Constructions under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications:

The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Relocating and rebuilding of present line on Milk St, from the Northboro Town Line to the Lyman School.

T. H. Reilly
Richard Fay Parker
George N. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough

Appointments for 1904.

Apr. 25.	#	William D. Atcheson	Special Police
"	#	James H. Butler	" "
	#	F. J. Richardson	" "
	#	Watson O'Leary	" "
	#	Leslie G. Jones	" "
	#	Arthur D. Melendy.	" "
Mar. 7.	#	William H. Sullivan,	Superintendent of Highway
" 25	#	William M. Balmer,	Inspector of Animals.
	#	John P. Johnson,	Fence Viewer.
" 30.	#	Thomas H. Treadway,	Sealer of Weights & Measures
	#	Herbert C. Forbes,	Registrar of Voters for 3 yrs
Apr. 30.		James H. McDonald,	Fire Engineers.
		Thomas H. Treadway	" "
		Thomas H. Hackett	" "
		James Brady	" "
		John C. Crowe	" "
July 2.	#	Charles Ewell	Special Police.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Friday the tenth day of June at half-past seven o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article I. To choose a Moderator.

" II. To see what compensation the Town will pay its employees for a legal day's work, also to see what compensation the Town will pay for a man and one horse, and for a man and two horses, or act anything thereon.

" III. To see if the Town will accept the provisions of Chap. 103 of the Revised Laws relating to the supervision of plumbing.

" IV. To see if the Town will appropriate one thousand dollars for the purpose of gravel banks, or act anything in relation to the same.

" V. To see if the Town will accept the bequest of the late Ellen E. Bixby, or act anything thereon.

" VI. To see if the Town will instruct its treasurer to receive and to credit the "Jonas A. Stone Memorial Chapel" fund with further offerings of money, should such be made to increase the amount of the said fund, and make the same available for building purposes.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this second day of June in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and four.

T. H. Reilly
Richard Fay Parker
George N. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, June 4th, 1904.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Magner.

Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
June 10, 1904

Meeting called to order at 7.30 P. M. by Town Clerk, J. S. Gates who read the warrant under.

Article 1. E. B. Harney was elected Moderator.

" II. Voted, that the Compensation of the men employed by the Town be considered seperately.
Voted, that the Town pay from one dollar and fifty cents (1.50) to two dollars (2.00) to town laborers for a legal day's work, except on such work as the Town may contract with the State for State Highways, and that the wages on the State Highway be at the rate of twenty cents (.20) per hour.
Voted, to leave the matter regarding the wages of the teams, to the Board of Selectmen.

" III. Voted, that the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 103 of the Revised Laws relating to the supervision of plumbing.

" IV. Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of eight hundred dollars ($800) for the purchase of gravel banks.

" V. Voted, that the Town do instruct its treasurer, to receive the bequest of the late Ellen G. Bixby to be devoted and used for the Westborough public library to be expended in such manner as the trustees of said library may determine."

" VI. Voted, that the Town do instruct its treasurer to receive and to credit the "Jonas A Stone Memorial Chapel" fund with further offerings of

money, should such be made to increase the amount of the said fund, and make the same available for building purposes.

Voted, that the meeting dissolve at 9.40 P.M.

attest. Joseph S. Gates
Town clerk.

In Board of Selectmen.
Westboro, Massachusetts, June 27, 1904.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

East Main street from Belmont street to residence of D. E. Ramee,

West Main street from present line to residence of W. W. Goddard,

Church street from present line to Fisher street,

Fisher street from Otis street to Church street,

Otis street from Fisher street to residence of F. E. Frost,

Maynard street from Fisher street to residence of H. C. Mansfield.

Signatures of Selectmen: T. H. Reilly
Richard Fay Parker.
George H. Rogers.

I hereby certify that on June 4, 1904 at 10.30 o'clock, A.M., at (West)the Town Hall a public hearing was held on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that I mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification

Attest: Joseph S. Gates,
Town clerk.

In Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Massachusetts, August 31, 1904.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Thick street from Belmont street to residence of C. A. Reed.

Signatures of Selectmen: T. A. Reilly
Richard F. Parker
George A. Rogers.

I hereby certify that on Aug 31, 1904, at 7.30 o'clock P. M., at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated on the specification hereby endorsed and that I mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place

of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

Attest. Joseph S. Gaus,
Town clerk.

Presidential and Gubernatorial Election 1904.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester S.S.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Tuesday the eighth day of November at 6.30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To bring in on one ballot their votes for Sixteen Electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

Representative in Congress for third District

Governor of the Commonwealth.

Lieutenant Governor.

Secretary.

Treasurer and Receiver General.

Auditor

Attorney General.

Councillor for the Seventh District.

Senator for the Fifth Worcester District.

Representatives in the General Court, two for Tenth Worcester District.

District Attorney

County Commissioners.

Sheriff.

The polls may be closed at four o'clock P. M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the

Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Serve fail not, and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our Hands this first day of November in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and four.

Richard Fay Carter } Selectmen
George H. Rogers } Westborough

A Copy Attest
Wm. Wagner, Constable of Westboro.

Westboro, Nov. 1, 1904

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner
Constable of Westboro

Westborough, Mass.
November 8, 1904.

In pursuance with the foregoing Warrant the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough qualified to vote in Elections and Town affairs met in the Town Hall and were called to order at 6.30 o'clock in the forenoon by Thomas H. Reilly, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen who proceeded to read the Warrant.

George N. Howe, William J. Halloran, Ballot Clerks.

William H. Sanford, James B. Putnam, Tellers in charge of the check list were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. The ballots were

delivered to the presiding officer who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.

The ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found empty was locked and the keys were given to Constable John F. Nash.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness the voting began.

Adams F. Dunn
William Reeby
Arthur Fairbanks
Orin W. Robinson
Thomas H. Hackett
Frank J. Hannon
Jeremiah F. Fogan
John Matthews

were duly sworn as Tellers by the Town Clerk.

It was unanimously voted by the Election Officers and Town Clerk to open the ballot box at 8.30 A. M.

242. At 8.30 A. M. the ballot-box was opened and two hundred and forty-two (242) ballots taken therefrom.

411. At 10.30 A. M. the ballot-box was opened and one hundred and sixty-nine (169) ballots taken therefrom.

669 At 2 P. M. the ballot-box was opened and two hundred and fifty-eight (258) ballots taken therefrom.

753. At 3.30 P. M. the ballot-box was opened and eighty-four (84) ballots taken therefrom.

Voted to close the polls at 4.30 P. M.

771. At 4.30 P. M. the ballot-box was opened and eighteen (18) ballots taken therefrom.

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked, and the keys given to the Constable.

The presiding officer announced that

seven hundred and seventy-one (771) ballots had been distributed and seven hundred and seventy-one (771) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 771.

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared and read by the presiding officer at 5.50 o'clock P. M. as follows.

For Electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

At Large.

Frederick A. Fragler, of Springfield had five	5.
Charles D. Wentworth, of Lynn had five	5.
John Eills of Haverhill had five	5.
Howard V. Dibbs of Worcester had five	5.
Patrick J. Calline of Boston had two hundred twenty seven.	227.
Henry A. Ely, of Westfield had two hundred, twenty-seven.	227.
William A. Crane, of New Bedford had four hundred, eighty-nine.	489.
Edwin A. Curtis, of Boston had four hundred, eighty-nine.	489.
Napoleon B. Johnson, of Milford had nine	9.
William A. Partridge, of Newton had nine.	9.
Jerry Brown, of Brockton had two.	2.
George E. McNeill, of Cambridge had two.	2.
Blanks had thirty-four	34.

District No. 1.

Truman Clarke of Pittsfield had five	5.
Edgar J. Whitaker of Holyoke had five	5.
Robert Abercrombie of Greenfield had two hundred, twenty-seven.	227.

District No. 1 Continued.

Robert M. Woods of Hatfield had four hundred, eighty-nine 489.
Wilbur M. Purrington of Williamsburg had nine 9.
Blanks 34.

District No. 2.

Henry Noffke of Holyoke, had five 5.
Alba E. Fenton of Springfield had five 5.
William P. Hayes of Springfield, had two hundred, twenty-seven. 227.
Norman P. Wood of Northfield, had four hundred, eighty-nine. 489.
Alfred H. Evans of Northampton, had nine. 9.
Alvin M. Shaw of East Longmeadow had two. 2.
Blanks 34.

District No. 3.

John A. Fredrickson of Worcester, had five. 5.
Louis F. Weiss of Worcester, had five 5.
James E. Estabrook of Worcester, had two hundred, twenty-seven. 227.
Calvin D. Paige of Southbridge had four hundred, eighty-nine. 489.
Richard D. Murphy of Worcester, had nine 9.
Francis Leander King of Worcester, had two 2.
Blanks 34.

District No. 4.

John A. Anderson of Gardner, had five 5.
Ernest C. Irish of Waltham, had five 5.
Herbert A. Lyons of Fitchburg, had two hundred, twenty-seven. 227.
Walter Perley Hall of Fitchburg had four hundred, eighty-nine 489.
Alfred L. Cutting of Weston had nine 9.
Blanks 34.

District No. 5.

John Kenny of Lawrence, had five 5.
John B. Catheron of Lawrence, had five 5.
Peter J. Brady of Lowell, had two hundred, twenty-seven 227.
Newton P. Frye of North Andover, had four hundred, eighty-nine 489.
George E. Batchelder of Lynnfield, had nine 9.
Horace B. Foster of North Andover, had two. 2.
Blanks 34.

District No. 6.

James F. Bailey of Haverhill, had five 5.
Parkman D. Flanders of Haverhill, had five 5.
William B. Sullivan of Danvers, had two hundred, twenty-seven 227.
George A. Dale of Haverhill, had four hundred, eighty-nine 489.
James F. Pease of Merrimac, had nine 9.
Benjamin Tatter of Swampscott had two 2.
Blanks 34

District No. 7

Edwin S. Mays of Everett had five 5.
Alfred B. Ostrom of Chelsea had five 5.
Charles J. Barton of Melrose had two hundred, twenty-seven 227.
Clarence T. Fernald of Melrose had four hundred eighty-nine 489.
Henry A. Smith of Stoneham had nine. 9.
Levi R. Pierce of Lynn had two. 2.
Blanks. 34.

District No. 8.

John J. Hall of Cambridge had five 5.
Charles H. White of Somerville had five 5.
John L. A. Chamee of Cambridge had two hundred, twenty-seven 227.
George H. Perkins of Somerville had four hundred, eighty-nine 489.

District No. 8 Continued

Joseph B. Bent of Somerville, had nine 9.
G. Leonard McNeill of Somerville, had two 2.
Blanks 34.

District No. 9.

James F. Stevens of Boston, had five 5.
George W. Galvin of Boston, had five 5.
Emery D. Leighton of Boston, had two hundred, twenty-seven 227.
Francis L. Auld of Boston, had four hundred, eighty-nine. 489.
William H. Park of Boston, had nine 9.
Henry Lemon of Boston, had two 2.
Blanks 34

District No 10.

John E. Eustace of Peabody, had five 5.
Daniel W. Gorman of Quincy, had five 5.
Lawrence J. Logan of Boston, had two hundred, twenty-seven. 227.
Milton C. Paige of Boston, had four hundred, eighty-nine. 489.
Roland F. Alger of Boston, had nine. 9.
Asa F. Hall of Wilton, had two. 2.
Blanks 34.

District No 11.

George Nelson of Boston, had five 5.
Jacob Haertl of Boston, had five 5.
John H. Lee of Boston, had two hundred, twenty-seven 227.
Thomas Sherwin of Boston, had four hundred, eighty-nine. 489.
Hiram B. Cross of Boston, had nine 9.
Phinehas P. Field of Boston, had two 2.
Blanks 34.

District No. 12.

Earl L. K. Fredrickson of Brookdale, had five	5.
Herbert Chapman of Stoughton, had five	5.
James G. Cotter of Hyde Park, had two hundred, twenty-seven.	227.
Abbott E. French of Canton, had four hundred, eighty-nine.	489.
William A. Cobb of Newton, had nine.	9.
George F. Washburn of Brentwood, had two	2.
Blanks	34.

District No. 13

Dennis McGolf of New Bedford, had five	5.
Jeremiah J. Sullivan of Fall River, had five	5.
Charles S. Ashley of New Bedford, had two hundred, twenty-seven.	227.
Benjamin Anthony of New Bedford, had four hundred, Eighty-nine	489.
Charles A. Chace of Swansea, had nine	9.
Blanks	34

District No. 14.

Frank Lohmbach of Boston, had five	5.
Charles E. Lowell of Whitman, had five	5.
Thomas C. Thacher of Yarmouth, had two hundred, Twenty-seven	227.
William L. Frye of Bourne, had four hundred, eighty-nine.	489.
Daniel F. Chrisman of Sandwich, had nine	9
Thomas A. Hodgson of Middleborough, had two	2.
Blanks	34.

For Governor

John Quincy Adams of Amesbury had seven	7.
John L. Bates of Boston had four hundred, Eighteen	418.

For Governor.

Oliver W. Cobb of Eastampton, had eight 8

William L. Douglas of Brockton had three hundred, twelve. 312.

Blanks 26.

Lieutenant Governor.

Olaf Bokelund of Worcester, had ten 10.

John C. Crosby of Pittsfield, had two hundred, twenty one 221.

Frank P. Dyer of Arlington, had ten 10.

Curtis Guild, Jr. of Boston, had four hundred, forty-six 446.

Moritz E. Ruther of Holyoke, had one. 1.

Blanks 83.

Secretary.

James A. Bresnahan of Cambridge had four 4.

Fannie J. Clary of Williamsburg had thirteen 13.

Charles C. Hitchcock of Ware had ten 10.

Henry B. Little of Newburyport had one hundred, eighty-three 183.

William M. Olin of Boston had four hundred, fifty-five 455.

Blanks. 106.

Treasurer

Aubert C. Bartlett of Fitchburg had ten 10.

Arthur B. Chapin of Holyoke had four hundred, fifty-eight 458

Edmund D. Codman of Boston, had one hundred, eighty-four. 184.

Andrew Mortensen of Somerville, had one. 1.

Willard O. Wylie of Beverly, had eleven. 11.

John Regan of Westborough had one 1.

Blanks 106.

Auditor.

Charles E. Tunnham of Worcester, had fifteen	15.
Walter J. Hoar of Worcester, had seven.	7.
Charles Stevens of Plymouth, had eight	8.
Francis E. Tetrault of Southbridge, had one hundred, eighty-one.	181.
Henry E. Turner of Malden, had four hundred, forty-five.	445.
Blanks.	115.

Attorney-General.

Henry W. Dean of Hyde Park, had eleven.	11.
John P. Leahy of Boston, had one hundred eighty-three.	183.
Herbert Parker of Lancaster, had four hundred, sixty.	460.
John Weaver Sherman of Boston, had eleven.	11.
Thomas Stevenson of New Bedford, had two	2.
Blanks	104.

Representative in Congress.

Third District.

John H. Brown of Worcester, had twelve	12.
Rockwood Hoar of Worcester, had four hundred seventy-seven.	477.
John B. Kattigan of Worcester, had one hundred, eighty-seven.	187.
Blanks	95.

Councillor

Seventh District.

William A. Lytle of Worcester, had four hundred forty-one.	441.
Henry L. Rice of Fitchburg, had thirty-eight.	38
John P. Crowe of Westborough, had one.	1.
Blanks	291.

Senator.

Fifth Worcester District

Cyrus K. Aytell of Grafton, had sixteen 16.
Samuel E. Hall of Millbury, had four
hundred, forty-three. 443.
Burrell A. Drake of Oxford, had twelve 12.
Samuel B. Taft of Upbridge, had two
hundred, two. 202.
Blanks. 98.

Representatives in General Court.

Tenth Worcester District

George F. Birch of Milford, had three
hundred, ninety-eight. 398.
Edward Hallorad of Westborough, had two
hundred, eight 208.
Charles H. Johnson of Upton, had twelve 12
William F. Jordan of Milford, had seven 7.
Francis T. Nelson of Upton, had three
hundred, eighty-three. 383.
John E. Swift of Milford, had one hundred,
seventy-six. 176.
Blanks 358.

County Commissioner - Worcester.

Gideon M. Aldrich of Uxbridge, had
one hundred, seventy-seven. 177.
George A. Cook of Barre, had four
hundred, fifty. 450.
Charles K. Whitney of Worcester, had fifteen 15.
Blanks 129.

Associate Commissioners - Worcester

Stephen K. Edwards of Southbridge, had
one hundred, sixty-two. 162.
S. Augustus Howe of Gardner, had four
hundred, twenty-six. 426.
Joseph H. Lyden of Worcester, had one
hundred, fifty-six 156.

Associate Commissioners, Continued

Fritz Wilhelm August Mindt of Fitchburg, had seven. 7.
George F. Bowers of Leominster, had three hundred, ninety-three. 393.
Harry A. Hobbs of Leominster, had twelve. 12.
Blanks. 386.

District Attorney

Middle District

George E. Harris of Leominster had fourteen 14.
Thomas H. Sullivan of Millbury had one hundred, seventy-seven. 177.
George S. Taft of Lyndeboro, had four hundred, sixty-four. 464.
Blanks. 116.

Sheriff - Worcester County.

Maurice Barry of Worcester, had seventeen 17.
Robert A. Chamberlain of Worcester, had four hundred, eighty! 480.
James H. Churchill of Worcester, had one hundred, seventy-four. 174.
Blanks 100

After the declaration of the result of the voting the ballots used and unused together with the check lists were sealed and attested by the Election Officers, and delivered to the Town Clerk in accordance with the statutes.

The necessary returns to the Secretary of the Commonwealth were filled out and signed by the Selectmen and Town Clerk after which it was voted to adjourn. The presiding officer accordingly declared the meeting dissolved.

Attest

Joseph S. Gates
Town Clerk

Hopedale, Mass.
November 18, 1904.

At a meeting of the Town Clerks of District No. Ten, County of Worcester, it appeared by the returns that George F. Birch of Milford had in Hopedale 369.
Geo. F. Birch of Milford had in Mendon 88
" " " " " " Milford 860
" " " " " " Upton 235
" " " " " " Westborough 398.
1950

Edward Halloran of Westborough had in Hopedale 30
" " " " " " Mendon 27
" " " " " " Milford 695
" " " " " " Upton 58
" " " " " " Westborough 208
1018

Charles A. Johnson of Upton, had in Hopedale 12
" " " " " " Mendon 5
" " " " " " Milford 65
" " " " " " Upton 15
" " " " " " Westborough 12
109

William F. Jordan of Milford had in Hopedale 16
" " " " " " Mendon 5
" " " " " " Milford 101
" " " " " " Upton 4
" " " " " " Westborough 7
133

Francis F. Nelson of Upton had in Hopedale 344
" " " " " " Mendon 95
" " " " " " Milford 684
" " " " " " Upton 299
" " " " " " Westborough 353
1805

Josiah E. Swift of	Milford	Hopedale 58
" "	"	Mendon 41
" "	"	Milford 1060
" "	"	Upton 90
" "	"	Westborough 176
		1425

Blanks —		Hopedale	145
Mendon	73	Milford	813.
Upton	151	Westborough	358
			1540

Total vote in District 7980.

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the 10th Representative District, Worcester County, certify that the above is a true statement of the returns of votes cast on the eighth day of November 1904 for Representative to the General Court, made by us by the Selectmen of the towns in said District.

We certify that Eugene F. Birch of Milford and Francis T. Nelson of Upton having plurality of all the votes cast were declared elected and certificates of election issued.

Wm. H. Jordan — Town Clerk Hopedale
Horace G. Adams " " Mendon.
John T. McLaughlin " " Milford.
Francis T. Nelson " " Upton
Joseph A. Estes " " Westborough

Hopedale, Mass.
November 18, 1904

To Board of Selectmen.
Westboro Massachusetts Dec. 12, 1904.

Gentlemen: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, of Massachusetts, or, and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under the permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications:

The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Cross Street from South street to residence of F. A. Dewolf.

Signatures of Selectmen:

T. A. Reilly
Richard Fab Parker
George A. Rogers.

True permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough Book 8 Page 362.

I hereby certify that on Dec 12, 1904 at 7.30 o'clock P.M. at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles, and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that I mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester, SS.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the twelfth day of December at 7.45 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To hear and act on the report of any outstanding committee.

" 3. To see if the Town will fix the salaries of the Fire Department for the current year.

" 4. To see if the Town will appropriate money for its Public Schools.

" 5. To see if the Town will appropriate money for School Incidentals.

" 6. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Contingent Expenses.

" 7. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Soldiers Relief.

" 8. To see if the Town will instruct the Cemetery Trustees to remove the iron fence surrounding the Soldiers Monument in Memorial Cemetery, and place eight eight inch or eleven inch shells on the stone curbing about said monument.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this fifth day of December in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and four.

T. H. Reilly
Richard F. J. Parker
Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss. Westboro, Dec. 5, 1904.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Magner.
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
December 12, 1904.

Meeting called to order at 7.45 P. M. by Town Clerk, J. S. Gates who read the warrant, under

Article 1. Adams F. Brown was elected Moderator.

" 2 Passed over.

" 3. That the Town pay 55 firemen $25 each and 5 Engineers $50 each.

" 4. Voted: To pass over.

" " Voted That the Town appropriate the sum of nine-hundred twenty-two dollars and eighty four cents ($922.84) for School Incidentals.

" 6. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of six-hundred dollars ($600) for Contingent Expenses.

" 7. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of threehundred ($300) dollars for Soldiers' Relief.

" 8. Voted: that The Trustees of Cemeteries be instructed to remove the iron fence surrounding the Soldiers' Monument in Memorial Cemetery, and to place on each of the eight stone posts in the curbing about said Monument an eight inch or an eleven inch shell loaned by the United States Government for that purpose.

Voted: That the meeting dissolve at 9.25 P.M.

Attest: Joseph S. Gates
Town clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the sixth day of March at 6.30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to borrow money for town purposes in anticipation of tax collection.

" 3. To see if the town will choose a committee to consider appropriations for the ensuing year and report at an adjourned meeting.

" 4. To bring in on one ballot their votes for the following officers: Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three Assessors, Collector of Taxes, one Overseer of the Poor, Auditor, seven members of the School Committee, one member of the Board of Health, three Trustees of Public Library, nine Constables, one Trustee of the Cemetery, one Water Commissioner for three years, one Water Commissioner for three years, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, and Tree Warden, and vote "Yes" or "No" on the question "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

" 5. To choose all other necessary Town officers.

" 6. To hear and act on the reports of the various Town Officers.

Article 7. To hear and act on the reports of any outstanding committees

" 8. To see if the Town will accept the list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen.

" 9. To see if the Town will instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a Superintendent for both departments.

" 10. To see if the Town will print its Warrant and the action taken thereon in the Annual Town Officer's report.

" 11. To see if the Town will print its valuation and tax list.

" 12 To see what disposition the town will make of its Dog Fund.

" 13. To see if the Town maintain a Night Watch.

" 14. To see if the Town will refund the whole or any part of its floating debt.

" 15. To see if the Town will adopt an ordinance or by-law to provide for licensing dealers in junk, old metals, bottles, rags, rubber etc. or act anything in relation to the same.

" 16. To see if the Town will appropriate money for a new school building on Grove St. or take any action in regard to a new building.

" 17. To see if the Town will rescind its vote of Dec. 02, 1904, instructing the Cemetery Trustees to remove the iron fence surrounding

the Soldiers' Monument in Memorial Cemetery and place eight inch or eleven inch shells on the stone curbing about said monument, or so modify the said vote that the said fence may be retained on said curbing.

Article 18 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to locate an additional incandescent light on each of the following streets namely School St, Pillow St. and Summer St.

" 19 To see if the Town will donate the use of the Town Hall, two nights, each year to the Senior Class of the High School for entertainments to raise money to defray expenses of the graduation and reception of said Class.

" 20. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Fire Department Salaries and fix the same for the coming year. To see what sums the town will appropriate for its Fire Department Incidentals for the Town Hall, for the care of its Highways and Bridges, for its Pauper Department, for its Contingent expenses, for the care of its Cemeteries, for its Public Library, for its Health Department and for the support of its Public Schools; also for its Police Department, for salaries of Town Officers, for Street Lighting by Electricity, for Fire Alarm Boxes, for use of Hydrants, for Memorial Day, for Sewer Maintainence for Sewer Sinking Fund, for Water Sinking Fund, for Sidewalks and Crossings, for Soldiers' Relief, for Tree Warden, and for Street Watering.

" 21. To see if the Town will instruct its Treasurer to transfer any or all of the balances now in the Treasury to any of the Departments of the Town.

Article 22. To see if the Town will appropriate money for current expenses and grant an amount sufficient to cover all appropriations made under this Warrant.

" 23. To see if the Town will authorize its Assessors to take a new valuation of estates price to May 1st. 1905 as provided by the Constitution of the Commonwealth.

The polls shall remain open until three o'clock in the afternoon at which hour the time for closing may be fixed by vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-fifth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and five.

F. H. Eudy
Richard Fay Parker
George A. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss. Westboro, February 27, 1905.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Westboro.

John Dee - Constable of Westb

Westborough, Mass.
March 6, 1905.

In pursuance with the foregoing warrant the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in Town Hall and at 6.30 o'clock A. M. were called to order by the Town Clerk, who proceeded to read the Warrant and under

Article 1 Proceeded to ballot for Moderator. John W. Slattery had seventeen (17) votes and was declared elected, and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

" 2. Voted: That for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the Town of Westborough, Mass., in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year, the town Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to borrow from time to time, with the approval of the majority of the board of Selectmen, a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate, thirty thousand dollars, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town therefor, payable within one year from the time the loan is made. Any debt or debts incurred by a loan or loans to the town under this vote shall be paid from the said taxes of the present municipal year.

" 3. Voted: To choose Committee to report at adjourned meeting. The following is the Committee appointed by the Moderator, E. B. Harvey, A. F. Brown, J. S. Gates, A. E. Fairbanks, T. Hackett, T. J. Hastie and A. L. McDonald.

" 4. Voted: That the Town proceed to bring in on one ballot the following officers, viz:

Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three Assessors, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, one Overseer of the Poor, two members of School Committee for one year, two members for two years, and three members for three years, Auditor, one member of the Board of Health, for three years, three Trustees

of Public Library for three years, nine Constables, one Trustee of Cemeteries for five years, one Water Commissioner for three years, one Sewer Commissioner for three years, one Sinking Fund Commissioner for three years, Tree Warden, and to vote "Yes" or "No" on the question, "Shall License be granted for the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this Town?

The Ballot Clerks.

Arthur C. Fairbanks, William J. Hall

Tellers in charge of check list.

J. B. Putnam, C. M. Robinson

Together with the Tellers

William A. Keeby	J. R. J. M. Fay
John Matthews	James F. Sullivan
J. F. Hogan	Frank J. Hannon
C. A. Ford.	Adams F. Brown.

were duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

The ballots were delivered to the Moderator who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.

The ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found, and declared empty, was locked and the keys given to Constable James A. MacDonald.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness the voting began.

It was unanimously voted by the Moderator, Town Clerk and Election Officers to open the ballot box at 8.45 and 11.30 A. M and 3 P. M. for the purpose of taking ballots therefrom to facilitate counting votes cast.

At 8.45 A.M. the ballot box was opened and two
209 hundred and nine (209) ballots taken therefrom.

At 11.30 A.M. the ballot box was opened and two
433 hundred and twenty-four (224) ballots taken
therefrom.
Voted to close the polls at 4.30 P.M.

At 3 P.M. the ballot box was opened and two
men 715 hundred and eighty-two (282) ballots taken
women 1 therefrom, also one ballot cast by a woman for the
School Committee.
Voted: That when the meeting is adjourned it be
adjourned to March 20, 1905 at 7 o'clock A.M.

At 4.30 P.M. the ballot box was opened and thirty-
747 two (32) ballots taken therefrom.
1 woman's

At each of the above times after opening the
ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the
box was declared empty, locked, and the keys
given to the Constable.

The Moderator announced that seven hundred
and forty eight (748) ballots had been
distributed and seven hundred and forty-Eight
names had been checked on the list of voters
used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 748.

After the ballots had been counted the result
was declared at 7.15 P.M. as follows:

Town Officers
For Town Clerk.

Joseph S. Gates had five hundred
and thirty-three 533

Sworn

Blanks had two hundred and
fourteen votes - 214.

Whole number of votes, seven hundred, forty-seven, 747.

For Selectmen

Richard Fox Packer had five hundred
seventy-four votes. 574.

Thomas H. Reilly had five hundred
seventy-eight votes 578

George H. Rogers had five hundred
seventy-seven votes 577.

Blanks had four hundred, ninety-eight votes 498.

Scattering had fourteen votes. 14

For Assessors.

Henry L. Chase had five hundred, forty votes. 540

Daniel P. Law had five hundred, twelve votes. 512

Edward T. Gilmore had four hundred, six votes 406.

Arthur R. Sawyer had two hundred
seventy-three votes 273.

Blanks had five hundred, ten votes. 510.

For Treasurer.

Harry A. Kimball had five hundred, fifty votes. 550.

Blanks had one hundred, ninety-six votes 196.

Scattering had one vote 1.

For Collector of Taxes.

George L. Smith had five hundred
ninety-two votes. 592.

Blanks had one hundred, fifty-four votes 154.

Scattering votes had one vote 1.

For Overseer of Poor. (3 years.)

William H. Sanford had five hundred
forty-one votes 541.

Blanks had two hundred, four votes 204.

Scattering had two votes. 2.

For Auditor.

Lawrence F. Fales had five hundred
forty-five votes 545
Blanks had two hundred, two votes 202

For School Committee, 1 year.

John C. Crane had four hundred, forty-nine votes, 449
Harold J. H. Fay had five hundred, eight votes 508
Blanks had five hundred, thirty-five votes 535
Scattering had four votes 4.

For School Committee, 2 years.

G. Milton Fisher had four hundred,
sixty-one votes. 461.
Guilford S. Newcomb had four hundred,
seventy-one votes. 471.
John Roche had one hundred, eighty-four votes. 184.
Blanks had three hundred, seventy-nine votes 379.
Scattering had one vote 1.

For School Committee, 3 years.

Daniel P. Tilley had four hundred,
ninety-one votes 491.
Thomas H. Hackett had two hundred,
fifty-three votes 253.
Warren P. Jackson had five hundred votes 500
Melvin A. Walker had four hundred,
twenty-six votes. 426.
Blanks had five hundred, seventy-four votes 574.

Board of Health (3 years.)

Charles S. Knight had five hundred
thirty-three votes 533.
Blanks had two hundred, fourteen votes 214.

Trustees of Public Library (3 years.)

Abbie F. Judd had four hundred
sixty-four votes 464

Trustee of Public Library (3 years) (Con.)
Louise S. Kelley had four hundred,
fifty-one votes 451.
Thomas H. Reilly had four hundred,
ninety-eight votes 498
Blanks had eight hundred, twenty five
votes 825
Scattering had three votes 3.

Constables.
Dexter P. Brigham had four hundred,
eighty-five votes 485
John F. Crane had four hundred,
ninety-one votes. 491.
John Lee had four hundred,
eighty-six votes 486
Walter F. Jourdan had four hundred,
forty-four votes. 444
William Magner had five hundred,
twelve votes 512.
James McDonald had four hundred
ninety-three votes 493.
Henry F. Mooney had four hundred
sixty six votes 466.
John F. Nash had four hundred,
eighty-six votes 486.
William H. Sullivan had four hundred
ninety three votes 493.
Blanks had two thousand, three
hundred, fifty nine votes. 2359.
Scattering had eight votes. 8.

Trustee of Cemeteries (5 years.)
John H. Fairbanks had four
hundred, eighty-four votes. 484
Blanks had two hundred sixty-two votes 262
Scattering had one vote. 1

Water Commissioner (3 years.)

Jonathan A. Hunt had four hundred,
sixty-two votes. 462.
Blanks had two hundred, eighty one votes 281.
Scattering had four votes 4.

Sewer Commissioner (3 years.)

Jonathan A. Hunt had four hundred
fifty-three votes 453.
Blanks had two hundred, eighty-eight votes 288.
Scattering had six votes. 6

Sinking Fund Commissioner (3 years.)

John L. Brigham had five hundred, five votes 505
Blanks had two hundred, forty votes 240.
Scattering had two votes. 2.

Tree Warden

Charles S. Henry had four hundred
seventy-five votes. 475.
Blanks had two hundred, seventy votes 270
Scattering had two votes. 2.

License.

Yes had four hundred, twenty eight votes. 428
No had two hundred, ninety-four votes. 294
Blanks had twenty-five votes 25

The ballots used and unused, together with the check lists were sealed, attested by the election officers and delivered to the Town Clerk as the law directs.

Adjourned to Monday, March 20, 1905 at nine o'clock, A. M.

Westborough, Mass. March 20, 1905.

Town assembled as per adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator.

Article 2. That for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the Town of Westboro, Mass. in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to borrow from time to time with the approval of a majority of the Board of Selectmen a sum or sums not exceeding ten thousand dollars in the aggregate, in addition to the thirty thousand dollars authorized at the Town Meeting held March 6th., 1905. and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the Town therefor payable within one year from the time the loan is made. Any debt or debts incurred by a loan or loans to the Town under this vote shall be paid from the said taxes of the present municipal year.

" 5. Under this article Officers were chosen as follows:

Field Drivers. Curtis A. Forbes
Thomas H. Jones
John J. Sabine
Arthur M. Towne
Everett A. Nichols
Carl S. Putnam

Fence Viewers. James B. Putnam
John H. Slattery
John F. Johnson

Measurers of Wood. Harry D. Kimball
Fallon M. Knowlton
John S. Mason

Surveyors of Lumber { Harry W. Kimball #
Nathan W. Knowlton #
John S. Mason. #

Article 6. Voted, That the printed reports of the various Town Officers be accepted.

" 7. The Committee on appropriations reported in print and the report was read by the Chairman of the Committee. Voted to act on the report under the articles that related to the same.
Voted, To accept the recommendation of the appropriation committee as follows, - believing that the Maximum Salaries of teachers, below the ninth grade should be raised from $400 to $500, they recommend that the salaries be increased $25 a year until the limit has been reached and that this report be referred to the School Committee.

" 8. Voted, To accept the list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen except the name of George G. Genthner.

Clarence E. Ainsworth	Frank A. Falkner
Charles Allaire	George A. Ferguson
James Archer	William M. Ferguson.
Erving W. Babcock	Herbert C. Forbes
Samuel A. Bates	William B. Frost
Moses E. Bombard	Edward T. Gilmore
Charles H. Bowman	William Graham
Frank G. Braley	E. Ellsworth Graves.
Joseph H. Brown.	Henry D. Green
R. Franklin Burhoe	Charles R. Griggs
Arthur H. Buxton	Frank H. Hackett
John W. Casey	Thomas H. Hackett
Henry L. Chase	William J. Halloran
Lot F. Chase	Charles L. Harrington
Clarence H. Coggins	Arthur B. Harvey
John F. Craffey	Timothy J. Hayden
B. Franklin Crandall	Butler W. Hero
Patrick J. Devin	John T. Johnson.

James A. Kelley
Nathan D. Knowlton
John J. Lahive
Foster A. Lebeau
Charles L. Leonard
Michael C. Linnane
George W. Marsh
Oscar A. Marshall
Charles S. Marshall
John Mathews
Arthur L. McDonald
Owen J. Meighan
Henry J. Mooney
Patrick C. Mooney
John F. Nash
Nathan M. Monroe
Thomas O'Brien
Frederick A. Pratt
Almon A. Putnam
Michael J. Ray
James F. Reilly
William F. Rerene
Frederick P. Rogers
John J. Sheehan
George L. Smith
William C. Sproul
Frank A. Stone
James F. Sullivan
James E. Taft
Thaxon Taft
Thomas W. Treadway
George E. Walker
Irving E. Walker
Waldo A. Warren
Fred. C. Weatherhead
Frank C. Winter
W. A. Walker

Article 9. Voted: To instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a Superintendent for both departments.

" 10. Voted: To print the Warrants and the actions taken thereon in the annual town officers' report.

" 11. Voted: To print the Valuation and Tax List.

" 12. Voted: That the Dog Fund be given to the Town Library.

" 13. Voted: That the Town maintain a Night Watch.

" 14. Voted: To pass over.

" 15. Voted: To pass over

Article 16. Voted: That the School Committee be instructed to procure plans and specifications for a new school house on Grove Street and that two hundred ($200) dollars be appropriated for that purpose.

" 17. Voted: To pass over.

" 18. Voted: That the subject matter be referred to the Selectmen.

" 19. Voted: That the subject matter be referred to the Selectmen.

" 20. Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) and receipts for the care of its Cemeteries.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of four thousand dollars ($4000) for Contingent expenses.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for Fire department incidentals.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand, six hundred and twenty-five dollars ($1625) for Fire Department salaries.
That the Town pay 55 firemen twenty-five dollars ($25) each and 5 engineers, fifty dollars ($50) each.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand, seven hundred and eleven dollars and forty-three cents ($1711.43) for Highways and Bridges.
That the Town use the Street Railway tax of two thousand, nine hundred sixty-nine dollars and ninety-four cents ($2969.94) for its Highway Department.
Voted, That the Town pay the Water Department ten dollars ($10) each for ninety-eight (98) Hydrants.
That the Town appropriate the sum of nine hundred and eighty dollars ($980) for Hydrants.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) for Interest on

Cemetery Funds.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of six hundred and twenty-five dollars ($625) for Interest on Funded Debt.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven dollars and fifty cents ($2,777.50) for Interest on Sewer Bonds and Overdraft.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of eight hundred dollars ($800) for Interest on Temporary Loans.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifteen dollars ($215) for Interest on Library Notes.
Voted, That the Town appropriate and pay the sum of three thousand dollars ($3000), the amount of the Library note for 1898.
Voted, That the Town appropriate and pay the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000), the amount of the Loan for 1899.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) for Memorial Day.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of six hundred dollars ($600) for the Public Library.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of three thousand, six hundred dollars ($3600) for its Pauper Department.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand, two hundred dollars ($1200) and Court Receipts to Police Department.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500) for Sidewalks and Crossings.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of thirteen thousand, five hundred dollars ($13500) for the Public Schools.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand, four hundred dollars ($2400) for School Incidentals.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for Soldiers' Relief.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of three thousand, three hundred and sixty dollars ($3360) for Street Lighting.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars ($100) for Street Watering.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand four hundred dollars ($1400) for Sewer Sinking Fund.
Voted, That the Town Officers' Salaries shall be as follows:

Town Clerk, one hundred dollars	$100
Selectmen, three hundred dollars	$300
Treasurer, two hundred and fifty dollars	$250
Collector, three hundred dollars, and in addition to his stated salary the Collector of Taxes receive five per cent. of poll tax collection from persons paying poll tax only, and that the Town furnish Collectors Supplies as heretofore.	$300
Overseers of the Poor, two hundred dollars	$200
Auditor, fifty dollars.	$50
Water Commissioners, one hundred and fifty dollars	($150)
Assessors, five hundred dollars	($500)
Treasurer of Sinking Funds, seventy-five dollars	$75
Sealer of Weights and Measures forty-five dollars	$45
Inspector of Animals, one hundred and fifty dollars	$150
Registrars of Voters, one hundred and eighty dollars	($180)

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250) for Tree Warden.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for Town House.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) for the School Committee for Plans.

Voted, That the Town grant the sum of fifty thousand, eight hundred, ninety-three dollars and ninety-three cents. ($50,893.93) for current expenses. - (Omit)

Appropriations

Under the Warrant were made as follows:

Cemeteries	200 00
Contingent	4000.00
Fire Department Expenses	1000 00
Fire Department Salaries	1625 00
Highways and Bridges	1711 43
Hydrants	980 00
Interest on Cemetery Funds	200 00
Interest on Funded Debt	625 00
Interest on Sewer Bonds and Overdraft	2777 50
Interest on Temporary Loans	800 00
Interest on Library Notes	215 00
Library Note, 1898	3000 00
Loan of 1899.	2000 00
Memorial Day	150 00
Public Library	600 00
Pauper Department	3600 00
Police Department	1200 00
Sidewalks and Crossings	500 00
Schools	13500 00
School Incidentals	2400 00
Soldiers' Relief	1000 00
Street Lighting	3360 00
Street Watering	100 00
Sewer Maintenance	300 00
Sewer Sinking Fund	1400 00
Salaries Town Officers	2200 00
Tree Warden	250 00
Town House	1000 00
School Committee for Plans	200 00
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Voted, That the Selectmen use two hundred dollars ($200) of the appropriations for sidewalks and crossings for a gravel walk commencing

near Boston and Worcester Street Railway on Lyman Street and extending as far toward town as possible.

Article 21. Voted, That the Treasurer transfer the five cent (.05) balance in the Brigham Street drain department to the Contingent Account.

" 22. Voted, That the Town appropriate and grant the sum of fifty thousand, eight hundred ninety-three dollars and ninety-three cents ($50,893.93)

" 23. Voted, To pass over.

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 10.55 A.M.

attest

Joseph S. Galvin
Town Clerk

In Board of Selectmen.
Westboro, Massachusetts, April 22, 1905

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications:
The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:
South Street from present line to Upton Town Line,
Hopkinton Street from South street to Hopkinton Town Line,
Spring Road from South street to Wm. Graham's residence,
Warren street from South street to residence of C. F. Parker,

Signatures of Selectmen { T. H. Reilly
Richard Fay Parker.

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough, Book 8 Page 226.

I hereby certify that on April 22, 1905 at 10 o'clock A. M. at Selectmens' Room a public hearing was held on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that I mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

Office of Town Clerk.
Westborough, Mass.
April 28, 1905.

To [illegible],

In accordance with Section 62, Chapter 25, R. L. you are hereby appointed Assistant Town Clerk for the Town of Westborough, Mass., to take effect at this date.

[L. S.]

attest Joseph S. Slater
Town Clerk

Sworn by [illegible]
Town Clerk

Appointments for 1905.

Mar. 29. # Wm. H. Sullivan — Supt. Highways and Bridges.
Charles H. Reed — Inspector of Animals & Meats
John Lee. — Janitor of Town Hall
Wm. Wagner. — Chief of Police and Night Watch
April 22. J. A. Macdonald — Fire Engineers.
F. H. Treadway — "
James Brady — "
F. H. Hackett — "
J. P. Crane — "
" 26. # Prescott Sibley — Burial Agent.
J. A. Macdonald — Fire Wardens.
F. H. Treadway — "
James Brady — "
F. H. Hackett — "
J. P. Crane — "
May 3 # F. H. Pratt — Public Weighers
E. E. Butterfield — "
" 17. Henry Mooney — Railroad Police
John Crowe — "
P. E. Mooney — Special Police
James Craig — "
June 28. Wm. H. Reedy — Special Police July 3 & 4
Chas. Ewell — " for July 3 & 4.
July 5 # James H. Butler — Special Police
" " # Arthur J. Melendy — " "
" " # Wilbur D. Atkinson — " "
" " # Leslie G. Jones — " "

Thomas H. Treadway — Sealer of Weights and Measures.

1906
Jan 4 # Arthur W. Eager — Special Police.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the twenty-fourth day of July at 7.45 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To see if the Town will appropriate money for repairs to school house property or act anything thereon.

" 3. To hear and act upon the reports of officers or committees of the Town.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Mandate, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this fourteenth day of July in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and five.

T. H. Reilly
George H. Rogers
} Selectmen Westborough

Worcester, ss. Westboro, July 17, 1905.

I have this day served the within warrant

by posting up attested copies thereof at the post office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Magner
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
July 24, 1905.

Meeting called to order at 7.45 P.M. by Town Clerk, J. S. Gates who read the warrant. Under

Article 1. John H. Slattery was elected Moderator.

" 2. Voted, That the Town appropriate five thousand ($5000) dollars for general repairs on the school buildings.

" 3. The School Committee reported that it would be inexpedient to build a new school house as the debt limit of the Town had been reached, and would recommend that the legislature be asked to extend the debt limit.

Voted that the subject matter of the School Committee's report be recommitted to the School Committee and that they petition the legislature to extend the Town debt limit, in order that the Town may build a new school building.

Voted: That the meeting dissolve at 8:30 P.M.

Attest-

Joseph S Gates
Town Clerk

In Board of Selectmen.

Westhoro Massachusetts, July 29, 1905.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications. The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located and specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Cross Road between South and Pleasant Streets.

Signatures of Selectmen

T. F. O'Reilly
Richard Fay Parker } Selectmen Westboro

I hereby certify that on July 29, 1905 at 10 o'clock A. M. at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that I mailed at least three days before said

hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the strips or parcels of ground upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

In Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Massachusetts, July 29, 1905

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company shall deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as herein designated.

The construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications. The poles shall be located between the traveled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway.

After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

East Main St. from Milliken St. to residence of P. O. Stockbridge.

Signatures of Selectmen:

F. A. Reilly
Richard Fay Parker } Selectmen
Westboro

I hereby certify that on July 29, 1905 at 10 o'clock A. M. at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated

in the specification hereby endorsed and that it mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Wednesday the eleventh day of October, at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To hear and act on the reports of all outstanding committees.

" 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for School Incidentals.

" 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer to issue a note or notes of the Town to meet the appropriations made for School Incidentals and for general school repairs at this and the last preceding Town Meeting, or act anything in relation thereto.

" 5. To see if the Town will instruct its School Committee to convey in barges to and from the schools all the School children in district Four and Five, or act anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the

Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Return this precept and your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Prestborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty seventh day of September in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and five.

T. F. O'Reilly
Richard Ray Parker
George A. Rogers
} Selectmen of Prestborough

Worcester, ss.

Prestboro, October 4, 1905.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-office and Town Hall in said Prestboro.

Wm. Wagner
Constable of Prestboro.

Westborough, Mass.
October 11, 1905.

Meeting called to order at 7.30 P. M., by Town Clerk, J. S. Gates who read the warrant. Under

Article 1. John W. Slattery was chosen Moderator.

" 2. No action taken.

" 3. Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand ($1000) dollars for School Incidentals.

" 4. Voted: That for the purpose of providing money to meet the appropriation of six thousand (6000) dollars for general school house repairs, and repairs to books and purchase of apparatus, made at a special Town meeting held July 24, 1905. and this meeting Oct 11, 1905. the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized, with the approval of the Selectmen to issue notes of the Town to the amount of six thousand (6000) dollars, said notes to be dated Nov. 1, 1905. and to bear interest at the rate of 4% per annum, signed by the Town Treasurer and a majority of the Selectmen and payable as follows: One thousand (1000) dollars Nov. 1, 1907, one thousand (1000) dollars Nov. 1, 1908, one thousand dollars (1000) Nov 1, 1909, one thousand (1000) dollars Nov 1, 1910, one thousand (1000) dollars Nov 1, 1911, one thousand (1000) dollars Nov 1, 1912.

" 5. Voted: That the Town vote to instruct the School Committee to run the One Horse Barge in Dictrict No 5 as formerly.

Voted, That the meeting dissolve at 8.05 P. M.

attest—

Joseph S. Gates
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough
in the County of Worcester, Greeting:
In the name of the Commonwealth of
Massachusetts, you are directed to notify
and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of
Westborough, qualified to vote in elections
and Town Affairs, to meet in the Town
Hall, in Westborough, on Tuesday,
seventh day of November at 6.15 o'clock
in the forenoon, then and there to act on
the following articles:

Article 1. To bring in on one ballot their votes for
the following State and County officers.

(1.) Governor
(2.) Lieutenant Governor,
(3.) Secretary
(4.) Treasurer
(5.) Auditor
(6.) Attorney General
(7.) One Councillor for 7th. Councillor District.
(8.) Senator for 5th. Worcester District.
(9.) Two Representatives in the General
Court for 10th. Worcester District.
(10.) County Commissioner for unexpired term
of three years from the first Wednesday in
January 1904.
(10.) County Commissioner, full term.

The polls will remain open until six o'clock in the
afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant
by posting up attested copies thereof at
the Post Office and Town Hall seven
days, at least before the day of holding
said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this
Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the

Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this thirty first day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and five.

T. H. Reilly } Selectmen
Richard Fay Parker } of Westborough.

Worcester, ss. Westboro, October 31, 1905.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner, Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
November 7, 1905.

In pursuance with the foregoing Warrant the Inhabitants qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in the Town Hall and were called to order at 6 o'clock in the forenoon by Thomas H. Reilly, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who proceeded to read the Warrant.

Arthur E. Fairbanks, William H. Sanford, William Halloran, James B. Putnam Ballot Clerks were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. The ballots were delivered to the presiding officer who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.

The Ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found empty, was locked and the keys were given to Constable.

John F. Nash.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness

the voting began.
William H. Reeby — Thomas H. Hackett
Orra M. Robinson — Jeremiah F. Hogan
Adams F. Brown — Frank J. Hannon
J. R. J. Warren Fay — John Matthews
were duly sworn as Tellers by the Town Clerk.

It was unanimously voted by the Election Officers and Town Clerk to open the ballot box at 8.55 A.M.

At 8.55 A.M. the ballot box was opened and two hundred and thirty-nine
239. (239) ballots taken therefrom.

At 11.30 A.M. the ballot box was
389 opened and one hundred and fifty (150) ballots taken therefrom.

At 2 P.M. the ballot box was opened and one hundred and sixty-
550 one (161) ballots taken therefrom.
Voted to close the polls at 4.30 P.M.

At 4.30 P.M. the ballot box was
606. opened and fifty-six (56) ballots taken therefrom.

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked and the keys given to the Constable.

The presiding officer announced that six hundred and six (606) ballots had been distributed and six hundred and six (606) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 606.

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared and read by the presiding officer at 5.05 o'clock P.M. as follows:

For Governor

Charles A. Bartlett of Boston, had two hundred and two. 202.
James F. Carey of Haverhill, had eight. 8.
William L. Carroll of Boston, had two 2.
Curtis Guild, Jr. of Boston, had three hundred and seventy-two. 372.
Willard O. Hyde of Beverly had 6.
Blanks 16.

For Lieutenant Governor

Thomas F. Brennan of Salem, had seven. 7.
Eben S. Draper of Hopedale, had three hundred and fifty three. 353.
Patrick Shalloo of Boston had ten. 10.
John L. Smith of Dalton, had nine. 9.
Henry Jr. Whitney of Brookline, had two hundred and six. 206.
Blanks. 21.

For Secretary

Charles C. Aitchison of Ware, had sixteen 16.
Jonathan S. Lewis of Stoneham, had eight. 8.
Henry B. Little of Newburyport, had one hundred and fifty-one. 151.
William M. Olin of Boston, had three hundred and eighty-seven. 387.
Moritz C. Luther of Holyoke had six 6.
Blanks 38.

For Treasurer

Christopher J. Albro of Milford had six 6.
David S. Brodeur of Brockton had sixteen. 16.
Arthur B. Chapin of Holyoke had three hundred and eighty-eight. 388.

For Treasurer (Con.)

Isaac Claudius of New Bedford, had two.	2
Daniel F. Doherty of Westfield, had one hundred and fifty-four.	154
Blanks	40

For Auditor

Patrick J. Kehe, of North Adams, had one hundred and forty-nine.	149
Herbert P. Griffin of Boston, had six.	6
E. O. Fredrik Hanssen of Medford, had six	6
Ambrose Miles of Lynn, had fifteen	15
Henry E. Turner of Malden, had three hundred and eighty.	380
Blanks	50

For Attorney General

Allen Coffin of Nantucket had seven.	7
Henry A. Heath of Boston had eight.	8
John P. Leahy of Boston had one hundred and fifty-eight.	158
Lana Malone of Ashfield had three hundred and sixty-nine.	369
John Weaver Sherman of Boston had fifteen	15
Blanks	49

For Councillor Seventh District

William A. Lytle of Worcester had three hundred and ninety-one.	391
John C. Sanborn of Fitchburg had thirteen	13
John A. Whittaker of Southbridge had one hundred and fifty-four.	154
Blanks	48

For Senator - Fifth Worcester District

Cyrus K. Axtell of Grafton had nineteen 19
Samuel E. Hull of Millbury had three hundred and seventy-one. 371
John C. Lynch of Milford had one hundred and sixty-two. 162.
Burrill W. Morse of Oxford had seventeen 17.
Blanks 37.

Representatives in General Court.
Tenth Worcester District.

George F. Birch of Milford had three hundred and fifty-four. 354.
Walter Curley of Upton had one hundred and forty-eight. 148.
Charles E. Leaving of Milford had sixteen 16.
William D. Leahy of Milford had one hundred and forty-three. 143.
Francis T. Nelson of Upton had three hundred and forty-eight. 348.
Blanks 203.

County Commissioner - Worcester

James Daly of Uxbridge had one hundred and fifty-five. 155.
Warren Goodale of Clinton had three hundred and ninety. 390.
John F. Mullen had ten 10
Blanks 51.

George L. Clemence of Southbridge had three hundred and eighty-eight 388.
Willie B. Wood of West Boylston had one hundred and sixty-eight. 168.
Blanks. 50

After the declaration of the result of the voting the ballots used and unused together with the check lists were sealed and attested

with the Election Officers and delivered to the Town Clerk in accordance with the statutes.

The presiding officer accordingly declared the meeting dissolved.

attest-

Joseph A. Slater
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Hopedale November 17, 1905.

In compliance with section 257, chapter 11 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts, We, the clerks of the towns of Hopedale, Milford, Mendon, Upton and Westborough, which towns comprise the Tenth Worcester Representative District, this day met at the Town Hall in said Hopedale, and compared the returns of votes cast in the said towns for two Representatives to the General Court to be holden in Boston, on the first Wednesday in January next.

Said votes were returned to us, as by law required; and were given in at legal meetings held in each of said towns for that purpose on the seventh day of November A. D. 1905, and are shown by the following tabular statement:

Representative Vote in The Tenth Worcester Representative District.	Hopedale	Milford	Mendon	Upton	Westborough	Totals
George F. Birch of Milford	365	831	95	212	354	1857
Walter Curley of Upton	39	774	25	95	148	1081
Charles E. Herring of Milford	11	87	6	10	16	130
William D. Leahy of Milford	87	894	36	58	143	1218
Francis T. Nelson of Upton	316	568	83	292	348	1607
Blanks	140	702	55	125	203	1225
Totals	758	3856	300	792	1212	7118

George F. Birch of Milford and Francis T. Nelson of Upton having received the largest number of votes, were declared elected; and to them were certificates of election issued, also a duplicate certificate sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, as the law directs.

In Witness Whereof we, the clerks of Hopedale, Milford, Mendon, Upton and Westborough, hereunto set our names this seventeenth day of November A. D. 1905.

William F. Jordan	Town Clerk of Hopedale.
John Mc Loughlin	Town Clerk of Milford
Horace C. Adams	Town Clerk of Mendon.
Francis J. Nelson	Town Clerk of Upton
Joseph S. Bates	Town Clerk of Westborough.

Westborough, Mass., November fifteenth A.D. 1905.
We hereby certify that we have this day
perambulated the Town Lines between the
Towns of Westborough and Northborough,
and found all monuments in their
proper positions and renewed the marks
thereon as required by law.
Number of monuments 7.

Ablyn D. Phelps } Selectmen
John K. Mills } Northborough

T. H. Reilly } Selectmen
Richard Fay Parker } Westborough

Westborough, Mass. November fifteenth A.D. 1905.
We hereby certify that we have this day
peramblulated the Town Lines between
the Towns of Westborough and Southborough
and found all monuments in their proper
positions and renewed the marks thereon
as required by law.
Number of monuments 10.

D. C. Nichols } Appointed by
H. A. Gould } Selectmen of
Southborough

T. H. Reilly } Selectmen
Richard Fay Parker } of
Westborough

City of Springfield.
November 13, 1905.

At a meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Springfield held on the above date on petition of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, lessee of the Boston and Albany Railroad, asking for the appointment of Michael J. Wood as a Railroad Police officer under Chapter 108 of the Revised Laws, said Michael J. Wood was appointed and confirmed a Railroad Police officer as prayed for.

A true abstract from the records of the proceedings of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Springfield.

Attest: E. A. Dewey,
City Clerk.

We Fence viewers of Westborough by request of Charles E. S. MacCarty have viewed the line of fence between the land of Silvia Warren and said Isaac Carry. And make the following division. Beginning at Belmont St., one half the line running North and South to Warren heirs, the remainder to said Isaac Carry. One line running East and West, beginning at the Easterly end one half to said Isaac Carry, the remainder to Warren heirs.

By request of C. E. S. MacCarry the following division of fence is made between Mrs. Hettie A. Brigham and said Isaac Carry. Beginning at Belmont St., one half the whole line between Brigham and Isaac Carry ending at a stone wall on said Brigham land, running East and West to said Isaac Carry. The remainder to said Brigham.

Westboro. Sept. 26, 1903.

Prescott Silvia } Fence Viewers
John D. Potter } Westborough

Westborough, Mass.
November 13, 1905.

We hereby certify that we have this day perambulated the Town Lines between the Towns of Westborough and Grafton, beginning at the corner bound between the Towns of Westborough, Shrewsbury and Grafton and found all monuments in their proper positions and renewed the marks thereon as required by law.

Number of monuments, 14.

William H. Sullivan
Edward J. Reilly
By appointment.
} Appointed by the Selectmen of Westborough

Edward A. Estabrook
Raphael J. Lapierre
} Selectmen Grafton.

Westborough, Mass.
Dec 2, 1905

We hereby certify that we have this day perambulated the Town Lines between the Towns of Westborough and Upton and found all monuments in their proper position and renewed the marks thereon as required by law

Number of monuments 7.
David A. Farrington
Harris J. Pottle
} Selectmen of Upton.

T. H. Reilly
Richard Fay Parker
} Selectmen of Westborough.

In Board of Selectmen.

Westborough, Massachusetts, January 13, 1906

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have be located as specified in this permit alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Central St. from Main St. to residence of W. C. A. Knight.

Signatures of Selectmen:

T. H. Reilly,
Richard Fay Parker,
George H. Rogers,
} Selectmen of Westborough

This permit and the indorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough Book 8 Page 251.

I hereby certify that on January 13, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. M. at the Town Hall, a public

hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that notice mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways & Date of map upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

In Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Massachusetts, January 13, 1906.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications:

The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway.

Alter the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

High St. between Main St. and the residence of Mrs. M. A. Barrows.

Signatures of Selectmen:

T. A. Reilly
Richard Fay Parker
George A. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westboro.

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough, Book 8. Page 253.

I hereby certify that on January 13, 1906 at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Town Hall, a public hearing was held on the petition of the

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that I mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

In Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Massachusetts, January 30, 1906.

Voted:— That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Flanders Street between East Main Street and residence of D. W. Barrett.

Signatures of Selectmen: T. H. Reilly
Richard Fay Parker
George A. Rogers.

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough, Book 8. Page 255.

I hereby certify that on January 20, 1906 at

10 o'clock A. M. at the Town Hall a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that notice mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Wednesday the Twenty-fourth day of January at 7.45 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To see if the Town will ratify the action of its Treasurer, in foreclosing the Mortgage on the Real Estate of John D. James, assigned to the Town as part of the request to it in the Will of Ellen C. Brigham and his purchase at the sale under the powers in said Mortgage in the name and behalf of the Town of the said Real Estate.

" 3. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to investigate the expedience of the Town engaging in Municipal Lighting, to report at a subsequent meeting, or act anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said

meeting.
Given under our hands this seventeenth day of January in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and six.

T. A. Reilly
George A. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, January 17, 1906.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner
Constable of Westboro

Westborough, Mass.
Nov. 13, 1905.

We hereby certify that we have this day
examinated the Town Lines between the
Towns of Westborough and Shrewsbury and
found all monuments in their proper positions
and renewed the marks thereon as required
by law.

Number of monuments, 7.

William A. Sullivan
Edward J. Reilly
By appointment
} Appointed by Selectmen of Westborough.

James M. Winchester
Fany J. Harlow
} Selectmen of Shrewsbury.

Westborough, Mass.
Jan 24, 1906.

Meeting called to order at 7.45 P.M. by Town Clerk, J. S. Gates, who read the warrant,

Under

Article 1. E. B. Harvey was elected Moderator.

" 2. Voted, That the Town ratify the action of its Treasurer, in foreclosing the mortgage on the real estate of John P. Slattery assigned to the Town as part of the bequest to it in the will of Ellen E. Bixby, and his purchase, at the sale under the powers in said mortgage, in the name and behalf of the Town of the said real estate.

" 3. Voted, That the Moderator, of this meeting appoint a committee of three to examine into the expediency of this town engaging in Municipal Lighting with instructions to report at our next annual meeting.

The Moderator appointed as the committee ordered by the vote of the Town, the following:

John P. Slattery
Wm H. Walker
Richard Fay (Carter.

Voted: That the meeting dissolve at 8.15 P.M.

attest. -

Joseph S. Gates
Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the fifth day of March, at 6.15 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to borrow money for Town purposes in anticipation of tax collection.

" 3. To see if the Town will appoint a committee to consider appropriations for the ensuing year and report at an adjourned meeting.

" 4. To bring in on one ballot their votes for the following officers: Town Clerk, three Selectmen, Collector of Taxes, one Overseer of the Poor, Auditor, three members of the School Committee, one member of the Board of Health, three Trustees of the Public Library, nine Constables, one Trustee of the Cemetery, One Water Commissioner for three years, one Sewer Commissioner for three years, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, Tree Warden, and vote "Yes" or "No," on the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town."

" 5. To choose all the necessary Town Officers.

Article 6. To hear and act on the reports of the various Town Officers.

" 7. To hear act on the reports of any outstanding Committees.

" 8. To see if the Town will accept the list of jurors presented by the Selectmen.

" 9. To see if the Town will instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a Superintendent for both departments.

" 10. To see if the Town will print its Warrants and the action taken thereon in the annual Town Officers Report.

" 11. To see if the Town will print its valuation and tax list.

" 12. To see what disposition the Town will make of its Log Fund.

" 13. To see if the Town will maintain a Night Watch.

" 14. To see if the Town will refund the whole or any part of its floating debt.

" 15. To see if the Town will authorize the Trustees of the Public Library in the name and for the Town to make contracts for a Public Library Building during the current year or will enact anything relating thereto.

" 16. To see if the Town will vote an appropriation of any given amount as an addition to the Library Building Fund.

Article 17. To see if the Town will limit or fix the amount to be expended in the construction of a Public Library Building, or act anything relative thereto.

" 18. To see if the Town will authorize the Trustees of the Public Library to receive in behalf of the Town and pay the same over to the Treasurer thereof, any contribution that may be made as an addition to the Library Building Fund.

" 19. To see if the Town will authorize the Trustees of the Public Library through its Building Committee to issue drafts on the Treasurer of the Town for payments of indebtedness which may be incurred in the construction of the Library Building or act anything relative thereto.

" 20. To see if the Town in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 34 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts, and all acts and amendments thereto, or in addition thereto, will vote to construct, purchase, or lease and maintain within its limits, a plant for the manufacture and distribution of electricity, for furnishing light for municipal light, heat and power, except for the operation of electric cars, for the use of its inhabitants, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 21. To see if the Town will grant the free use of the Town Hall to the Grand Army of the Republic on occasions, the purposes of which are to replenish its relief fund, or act anything thereon.

" 22. To see if the Town will issue bonds to an amount not exceeding thirty-five thousand dollars

to pay for improvements to its water supply, or act anything relative thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will approve of the plans of the Water Commissioners to make certain improvements to its Water Supply including changes of the grades of South St and Bowman St, where they [illegible] Sandra Pond, or act anything thereon.

" 24. To see if the Town will establish a hydrant on the corner of Mill St. and West Main St.

" 25. To see if the Town will authorize its Selectmen to issue licenses to dealers in junk, or act anything relative thereto.

" 26. To see if the Town will authorize its School Committee to install a system of heating, ventilating, and sanitaries in the High School building, and appropriate money therefore, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 27. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to transfer any or all balances now on his books to the Contingent department, or act anything relative thereto.

" 28. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the Fire Department Salaries, and fix the same for the coming year. To see what sums the Town will appropriate for its Fire Department Incidentals, for the Town Hall, for the care of its Highways and Bridges, for its Pauper Department, for its Contingent expenses, for its Public Library, for the care of its Cemeteries, for its Health Department, and for the support of

its Public Schools; also for its Police Department for salaries of Town Officers for Street Lighting by electricity, for the use of hydrants, for Memorial Day, for Sewer Maintenance, for Sewer Sinking Fund, for Water Sinking Fund, for Sidewalks and Crossings, for Soldiers' Relief, for Tree Warden, for the Board of Health, and for Street Watering.

Article 2. To see if the Town will appropriate money for current expenses, and grant an amount sufficient to cover all appropriations made under this Warrant.

" 30. The polls shall remain open until three o'clock in the afternoon at which hour the time for closing may be fixed by vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-sixth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and six.

T. H. Kelly
Richard F. Parker
George H. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, February 26, 1906.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the

[illegible] office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner,
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
March 5, 1906.

In pursuance with the foregoing warrant the inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in Town Hall, and at 6.30 o'clock a.m., were called to order by the Town Clerk, who proceeded to read the warrant, and under

Article 1. Proceeded to ballot for Moderator. John A. Slattery had ten (10) votes and was declared elected and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

" 2. Voted, That for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the Town of Westborough, Mass., in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year, the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to borrow from time to time, with the approval of the majority of the Board of Selectmen, a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate, forty thousand dollars, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town thereof, payable within one year from the time the loan is made. Any debt or debts incurred by a loan or loans to the town under this vote shall be paid from the said taxes of the present municipal year.

Article 5. Voted, To chose Committee to report at adjourned meeting. The following is the committee appointed by the Moderator: F. A. Lartlett, T. J. Keetie, J. W. Brittan, T. H. Hackett, Frank S. Falkner, A. L. McDonald, D. M. Knowlton.

Received from Joseph S. Gates, Town Clerk, package containing ballots for use at Town meeting, to be held this day.

John W. Slattery
Moderator.

Article IV. Voted, That the Town proceed to bring in on one ballot the following officers, viz: Town Clerk, three Selectmen, Collector of Taxes, One Overseer of the Poor, Auditor, three members of the School Committee, one member of the Board of Health, three Trustees of the Public Library, nine Constables, one Trustee of the Cemetery, one Water Commissioner for three years, one Sewer Commissioner for three years, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, Tree Warden, and vote "Yes" or "No" on the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this Town?"

The Ballot Clerks: A. F. Brown, Wm. Halloran, Tellers in charge of Check Lists; J. B. Putnam, W. H. Sanford, together with the Tellers; J. W. Brittan, C. M. Robinson, J. R. J. W. Fay, J. F. Hogan, John Matthews, Dr. M. Rockwood, Thos. H. Hackett, James Fullivan, D. P. Brigham, Constable.

The ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found and declared empty, was locked and the keys given to Constable D. P. Brigham.

It was necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness the voting began

It was unanimously voted by the Moderator, T. C. Clerk and Election Officers to open the ballot box at 8:30 A. M. and as many times thereafter as necessary for the purpose of taking ballots therefrom to facilitate counting votes cast.

At 8:30 a. m. the ballot box was opened and two hundred and five (205) ballots taken therefrom.

430. At 1:30 p. m. the ballot box was opened and two hundred and twenty-five (225) ballots taken therefrom.

At 2 p. m. the ballot box was opened and two hundred and eighty-five (285) ballots taken therefrom.

Voted to close the polls at 4:30 p. m.

Voted, That when the meeting is adjourned it be adjourned to March 19, 1906 at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

At 4:30 p. m. the ballot box was opened and fifty-four (54) ballots taken therefrom; also six (6) ballots cast by a man for the School Committee.

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked and the keys given to the Constable.

The Moderator announced that seven hundred and sixty-nine (769) ballots had been distributed and seven hundred and sixty-nine (769) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 769.

After the ballots had been counted, the result was declared at 5.45 p. m. as follows:

Town Officers.

Town Clerk.

Joseph S. Gates had five hundred and forty-four votes	544
Blanks had two hundred and twenty-three votes.	223.
Scattering had one vote.	1.
Whole number of votes, seven hundred and sixty-nine votes.	769

Selectmen.

Everett A. Lord had six hundred and twelve votes.	612
Thomas N. Reilly had six hundred and four votes.	604
George N Rogers had five hundred and eighty-eight votes.	588.
Blanks had four hundred and ninety-three votes.	493.
Scattering had ten votes.	10.

Assessors.

Henry L. Chase had four hundred and fifteen votes.	415.
Daniel P. Day had five hundred and twenty-six votes.	526.
Edward T Gilmore had three hundred and seventeen votes.	317.

Assessors (Continued)

Fred P. Rogers had five hundred votes. 500.
Blanks had five hundred and forty-nine votes. 549.

Treasurer.

Henry W. Kimball had five hundred and forty-six votes. 546.
Blanks had two hundred and twenty-three votes. 223.

Collector of Taxes.

Joseph S. Gates had four hundred and forty votes. 440.
Frank J. Hannon had two hundred and fifty-seven votes. 257.
Blanks had sixty-nine votes. 69.
Scattering had three votes. 3.

Overseer of the Poor. 3 years.

William Wagner had five hundred and fifty-seven votes. 557.
Blanks had two hundred and twelve votes. 212.

Auditor.

Lawrence F. Fales had five hundred and twenty-three votes. 523.
Blanks had two hundred and forty-six votes. 246

School Committee, 3 years.

Ernest P. Bingham had five hundred and twelve votes. 512.
John P. Crowe had five hundred and ten votes. 5[illegible]
Arthur E. Fairbanks had four hundred and ninety-eight votes. 498.

Blanks had seven hundred and eighty-four votes. 784.

Scattering had three votes. 3.

Board of Health, 3 years.

Alden L. Baynton had five hundred and one votes. 501

Blanks had two hundred and sixty-eight votes. 268

Trustees of Public Library, 3 years.

Frank H. Fobes had three hundred and ninety-seven votes. 397

Charles S. Henry had four hundred and forty-three votes. 443

Annie Keeran had two hundred and thirty votes. 230.

Walter C. Metcalf had four hundred and five votes. 405.

Blanks had eight hundred and thirty-two votes 832.

Constables.

Dexter P. Brigham had four hundred and seventy-four votes. 474.

John F. Crowe had four hundred and sixty votes. 460

John Dee had four hundred and eighty votes. 480

Walter B. Jourdan had four hundred and thirty-five votes. 435

William Wagner had four hundred and sixty-one votes. 461

James Mc Donald had four hundred and fifty-eight votes. 458

Henry F. Mooney had four hundred and forty-nine votes. 449.

John F. Nash had four hundred and seventy-one votes. 471.

Constables.

William H. Sullivan had five hundred and six votes. 506.

Blanks had two thousand, six hundred and ninety-three votes. 2693/6

Scattering had three votes 3.

Trustee of Cimeteries, 5 years.

John F. Xacha had one hundred and fifty-two votes. 152.

Emory (x) Wood had four hundred and twenty-nine votes. 429.

Blanks had one hundred and eighty-eight votes. 188

Water Commissioner, 3 yrs.

Michael J. Mc Carthy had five hundred and four votes. 504.

Blanks had two hundred and sixty-five votes 265

Sewer Commissioner 3 yrs.

Michael J Mc Carthy had five hundred votes. 500.

Blanks had two hundred and sixty-eight votes. 268.

Scattering had one vote. 1.

Sinking Fund Commissioner, 3 yrs.

Alden L. Boynton had four hundred and eighty-nine votes. 489.

Blanks had two hundred and seventy-nine votes. 279.

Scattering had one vote 1.

Tree Warden.

Charles S Henry had four hundred and eighty votes. 480

Blanks had two hundred and eighty-nine votes 289

Licenses.

Lee had three hundred and seventy-six votes. 376.
Poe had three hundred and fifty-five votes. 355.
Blanks had thirty-eight votes. 38.

The ballots used and unused, together with the check lists were sealed, attested by the election officers and delivered to the Town Clerk as the law directs.

Adjourned to Monday, March 19, 1906 at 7.30 o'clock P. M.

By Board of Selectmen.

Weston, Massachusetts, March 17, 1906.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway.

After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, as so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Winter Street between Summer Street and Lincoln Street,

Lincoln Street between Summer Street and residence of L. S. Turner,

High Street from end of present line to residence of Annie E. Taft,

West Street between West Main Street and residence of J. J. Gunther

Poles shall be set in location designated by the Board of Selectmen.

Signatures of Selectmen. T. A. Reilly
C. A. Lord

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough, Chase Book 8 Page 274-275.

I hereby certify that on March 17, 1906 at 2.30 o'clock P. M., at the Selectmens' Room a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that I mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

In Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Massachusetts, March 17, 1906.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such submarine and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said Town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or steel suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Otis Street from end of our present line to residence of F. C. Frost.

Poles shall be set in location designated by the Board of Selectmen.

Signatures of Selectmen. T. H. Reilly
C. A. Lord

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough, Mass. Book 8, page 276-277.

I hereby certify that on March 17, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock P. M. at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that I mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

In Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Massachusetts, March 17, 1906.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. Where the poles and wires are been located as specified in this permit alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

The following are the streets and highways above referred to:

School Street between West Main Street and residence of Wm. F. Miller and C. F. Brown,

Fay Street between Church Street and residence of Mrs. Mabel Whitten School Street between South St. and Myrtle Street,

Myrtle Street between South Street and residence of Mrs. Martha White,

Poles shall be set in locations designated by the Board of Selectmen.

Signatures of Selectmen: T. H. Kelly
E. A. Ford.

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough Book 5. Page 276-277.

I hereby certify that on March 17, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock P. M. at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that I mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

Westborough, Mass., March 19, 1906.

Town assembled as per adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator:

Article 5. Voted, That a Standing Committee on Finance, consisting of seven members be appointed by the Moderator, to serve until the next Annual March Meeting, to whom shall be referred for consideration and report all matters calling for appropriations by the town. The Committee chosen was as follows: George L. Smith, T. J. Hastie, T. H. Hackett, F. W. Bartlett, M. J. Linnane, Richard Fay Parker, John L. Brigham.

" 5. Under this article officers were chosen as follows:

Fence Viewers

\# John T. Johnson. \# James P. Putnam
\# John W. Slattery.

Measurers of Wood.

\# Harry W. Kimball. \# Nathan M. Knowlton
\# John S. Mason.

Surveyors of Lumber.

\# Harry W. Kimball. \# Nathan M. Knowlton
\# John S. Mason.

Public Weighers.

\# Everett E. Butterfield. \# Frederick A. Pratt.

" 6. Voted, That a Committee of three be appointed, one of whom shall be Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, to consider increasing the water pressure for fire department purposes and to report at a future meeting. The Committee chosen was as follows: T. F. Treadway, G. L. Smith, J. H. McDonald.

Voted, That the printed reports of the various Town Officers be accepted.

Article 7. The Municipal Lighting Committee made a report of progress and it was voted by the Town to allow them more time.

" 8. Voted, To accept the list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen, except the names of George L. Smith and William Graham.

Charles Allaire
James Archer.
Erving W. Babcock.
Samuel A. Bates
Moses E. Bombard.
Charles H. Bowman.
Frank G. Braley
Joseph H. Brown.
R. Franklin Burhoe.
John W. Casey
Henry L. Chase.
Lot F. Chase.
Clarence H. Coggins
John F. Craffey
Frank A. Falkner.
George A. Ferguson.
Herbert C. Forbes.
William B. Frost.
Edward T. Gilmore
E. Ellsworth Graves.
Henry D. Green.
Frank A. Hackett
Thomas H. Hackett
William J. Halloran.
Arthur B. Harvey.
Timothy J. Hayden.
John T. Johnson.
James A. Kelley
Nathan M. Knowlton.
Foster H. Lebeau.
Charles L. Leonard.
Michael J. Lennane
George W. Marsh.
Oscar A. Marshall
Charles S. Marshall.
John Mathews
Arthur L. McDonald
Owen J. Meighan
Henry J. Mooney
Patrick C. Mooney
John F. Nash
Arthur M. Nourse.
Thomas O'Brien
Frederick A. Pratt.
Almon H. Putnam
Michael J. Ray
William F. Rivene.
Frederick P. Rogers
John J. Sheehan.
William C. Sproul.
Frank A. Stone.
James F. Sullivan.
James E. Taft.
Mason Taft.
Thomas H. Treadway
Irving E. Walker
Waldo H. Warren
Fred C. Weatherhead
M. H. Walker

Article 9 Voted, That the Town instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a superintendent for both departments.

" 10. Voted, To print the Warrants and the action taken thereon in the annual town officers' report.

" 11. Voted, To print the Valuation and Tax List.

" 12. Voted, That the Dog Fund be given to the Town Library.

" 13. Voted, That the Town maintain a Night Watch.

" 14. Voted, To pass over.

" 15. Voted, To take up articles 15, 16, 17 and 18 and act upon them as one article.

Whereupon article the Chairman of Board of Library Trustees read the following letter:

Boston, Mass., March 16, 1906.

E. B. Harvey, M.D.,
Chairman Board of Library Trustees,
Weston, Mass.

Dear Sir:—

Having learned that your Board has secured complete plans for a library building and it is your purpose, with the consent of the town, to build the same this year, I hereby renew my verbal offer to contribute five thousand ($5000) dollars to the building fund if in case upon the decision to build has been reached; and I further agree to contribute an additional sum of twenty-five hundred ($2500) dollars towards the said fund on condition that the Town will erect the building

in the year 1906

Yours truly,
George W. Smalley.

Voted: That the Town authorize and instruct the Trustees of the Public Library, in the name of and for the Town, to make contracts for the building of a Public Library Building and to secure the building of the same during the current year, on the Town's lot on the corner of Main and Parkman Streets, at an expense to the Town not to exceed twenty-eight thousand ($28000) dollars independent of furnishings, provided the said Trustees shall approve of plans and specifications for such a structure.

Voted, That the Town authorize and instruct the Trustees of the Public Library to receive and accept in the name of the Town, any gift that may be made in behalf of Library Building Fund so called, and to deposit the same or any voucher for the same with the Town Treasurer.

" 19. Voted; To pass over.

" 20. Voted, To pass over.

" 21. Voted, That the Town grant the free use of the Town Hall to the Grand Army of the Republic on occasions when the purpose is to replenish its relief fund.

" 22. Voted, To pass over.

" 23. Voted, That a Committee of seven be appointed, three of whom shall be the Water Commissioners, to confer with the Westborough Insane Hospital, regarding the Town supplying water for the Hospital and to report at a subsequent meeting.

The following was the Committee appointed: Jonathan A. Hunt, Ira M. Pearson, Michael G. McCarthy, Harry W. Kimball, George L. Smith, Melvin H. Walker and Thomas H. Reilly.

Adjourned to Thursday, March 22, 1906 at 7.30 o'clock P. M.

Appointments for 1906.

March 21.	#	Edmund L. Brigham	Registrar of Voters 3 years.
	#	Thomas H. Treadway	Sealer of Weights & Measures.
	#	William H. Sullivan	Supt. Highways & Bridges
	#	Charles H. Reed	Inspector Animals & Meat.
		Prescott Sibley	Burial Agent.
April 11.	#	F. W. Kimball	Public Weigher
May 2.		James McDonald	Fire Engineers
		James Brady	" "
		John P. Crowe	" "
		Thomas H. Hackett	" "
		Thomas H. Treadway	" "
	#	E. E. Butterfield	Public Weigher
[illegible]	#	James H. Butler	Special Police
	#	Leslie G. Jones	" "
	#	William D. Atchison	" "
	#	Arthur J. Melindy	" "
" 20.	#	Patrick J. Mooney	" "
	#	Michael J. Lyons	" "
Oct. 25	#	Eli Sanderson	" "

Marlborough Mass. March 22, 1906

Town assembled as per adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator:

Article 27. Voted: That the overdraft of $766.07 charged against the Grade Crossing acct. Jan. 1, 1906. and the overdraft of $543.11 charged against the State Highway acct. of 1904, be transferred to and charged to the Contingent acct. and that the balance to the credit of State Highway acct. Jan 1, 1906. of $227.55 be transferred to and credited to the Contingent Fund, thus closing the above three accounts.

" 24. Voted, That the subject matter be referred to the Water Commissioners.

" 25 Voted, To pass over.

" 26. Voted, To lay upon the table.

" 28. Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) for the Board of Health.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) for Contingent expenses.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for Street Watering Expenses.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars ($1625) for Fire Department Salaries. That the Town pay 55 firemen twenty-five dollars ($25) each and 4 firemen engineers fifty dollars ($50) each.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) for Fire Rose.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of nine hundred and sixty five dollars and ninety four cents ($965.94) for Highways and Bridges; That the Town use the [illegible] Highway Dept.

Voted, That the [illegible] the [illegible] Dept. ten dollars ($[illegible]) for [illegible]

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of nine hundred and eighty dollars ($980) for Hydrants.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) for interest on Cemetery Funds.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of five hundred and fifty dollars ($550) for interest on Funded Debt.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand six hundred and ninety dollars ($2690) for interest on Sewer Bonds.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred and forty dollars ($240) for interest on School House Lot.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of eight hundred dollars ($800) for interest on Temporary Loans.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of seventy five dollars ($75) for interest on Library Notes.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars ($5000), the amount of the Loan for 1899.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) for Memorial Day.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of six hundred dollars ($600) for the Public Library.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of [illegible] thousand six hundred dollars ($3600) for the Sewer Department.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of [illegible] thousand two hundred dollars ($1200) for the Water Department.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of six hundred dollars ($600) for Streets and Crossings.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of sixteen thousand three hundred and eighty dollars ($16,380) for Schools.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of six hundred dollars ($600) for Ordinary Repairs to School Buildings.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of nine hundred dollars ($900) for Soldiers' Relief.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of three thousand three hundred and sixty dollars ($3360) for Street Lighting.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand four hundred dollars ($1400) for Land & Sinking Fund.

Voted, That the Town Officers' Salaries shall be as follows:

Town Clerk, one hundred dollars $100
Selectmen, three hundred dollars 3[illegible]
Treasurer, two hundred and fifty dollars 250
Collector, three hundred dollars, and in addition to his stated salary the Collector of Taxes receive five per cent of poll tax collection from persons paying poll tax only, and that the Town furnish Collector's Supplies as heretofore. 300
Overseer of the Poor, two hundred dollars 200
Auditor, fifty dollars 50
Water Commissioners, one hundred and fifty dollars. 150
Assessors, five hundred dollars. 5[illegible]
Treasurer of Sinking Funds, seventy-five dollars. 75.
Sealer of Weights and Measures, forty-five dollars. [illegible]
Inspector of Animals, one hundred and fifty dollars. 150
Registrars of Voters, one hundred and eighty dollars. 180

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars ($[illegible]) for Tree Warden. 250

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for Town House. 1000

Appropriations

Under The Warrant Were Made As Follows.

Board of Health	750.00
Contingent	2000.00
Fire Department Expenses	1000.00
Fire Department Salaries	1625.00
Fire Hose	200.00
Highways & Bridges	[illegible]
Hydrants	980.00

Interest on Cemetery Funds	200. 00
Interest on Funded Debt	550. 00
Interest on Sewer Bonds	2690. 00
Interest on School House Note	[illegible]
Interest on Temporary Loans	800. 00
Interest on Library Notes	75. 00
Loan of 1899	5000. 00
Memorial Day	150. 00
Public Library	600. 00
Pauper Department	3600. 00
Police Department	1200. 00
Sidewalks & Crossings	600. 00
For Schools	16380. 00
Ordinary Repairs to School Buildings	600. 00
Soldiers' Relief	900. 00
Street Lighting	[illegible]
Sewer Sinking Fund	1400. 00
Salaries Town Officers	2450. 00
Incidentals	250. 00
Town House	1000. 00
	48965. 94

Voted, That the Selectmen are authorized to use one thousand dollars ($1000) of the appropriations for Highways and Bridges for permanent road improvement.

Voted, That the Selectmen are authorized to use one hundred dollars ($100) of the appropriations for sidewalks and crossings for gravel walk, commencing at Lyman Street and extending as far toward Town House as practicable.

Article 9. Voted, That the Town appropriate and grant the sum of forty eight thousand nine hundred and sixty-five dollars and ninety-four cents ($48965. 94)

Adjourned to Friday, March 30, [illegible] o'clock P. M.

Westborough, Mass., March 30, 1906.

Town assembled as per adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator.

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 7.40 o'clock P.M.

Attest:-

Joseph S. Gates,
Town Clerk.

Office of Town Clerk,
Westborough, Mass.
April 1, 1906.

To General A. Perry,

In accordance with Section 62, chapter 25, R.L., you are hereby appointed Assistant Town Clerk for the Town of Westborough, Mass., to take effect at this date.

[L.S.]

Attest:

Joseph S. Gates,
Town Clerk.

To the Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Massachusetts, April 21, 1906.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

East Main St. from end of our present line to residence of J. H. Rogers.

Signatures of Selectmen

J. H. Reilly
E. A. Lord
George H. Rogers

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough, Mass. Book 8. Pages 291–292.

I hereby certify that on April 21, 1906 at 2 o'clock P.M. at Selectmen's Room, a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed

and that I mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the persons of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the 4th. day of June 1906 at 7.45 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To hear and act upon the report of committees and officers of the Town.

" 3. To see if the Town will authorize the School Committee to expend a sum not exceeding $4300. to install new heating and ventilating apparatus and sanitary arrangements in the high school building or act anything thereon.

" 4. To see if the Town in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 24 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts and all acts and amendments thereto or in addition to the same, will vote to construct, purchase, or lease and maintain within its limits a plant for the manufacture and distribution of Gas or Electricity for furnishing light for Municipal use and light, heat and power, except for the operation of Electric Cars, for the use of its inhabitants, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 5. To see if the Town will concur with the Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners in the proposed change in the boundary line between the towns of Westborough and Shrewsbury and

Westborough and Grafton, as recommended by said Board, or to take any other action thereon.

Article 6. To see if the Town will accept the gift of Samuel Winslow Pierce of Davenport, Iowa of the lot of land in the rear of the Library Lot on Parkman Street, on conditions named in the deed of Ellen L. Pierce to the Town of Westborough dated April 30, 1906.

" 7. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to release, assign or discharge any mortgage now held by, or that may hereafter be held by Library Building Fund and authorize the Town Clerk to affix the Town seal when necessary for that purpose.

" 8. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to sell any real estate belonging to the Library Building Fund.

" 9. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer to pay orders drawn by the Selectmen against the Library Building Fund to the amount of twenty-eight thousand dollars.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-eighth day of May in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and six.

J. H. [illegible] } Selectmen of
C. A. [illegible] } Westborough.

Worcester, Ss.

Westboro, May 28, 1906.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
June 4, 1906.

Meeting called to order at 7.45 P. M. by Town Clerk, J. S. Gates, who read the warrant,

Order

Article 1. J. H. [illegible] was elected Moderator.

" 2. The Appropriation Committee recommended that the Town authorize the School Committee to expend a sum not exceeding forty three hundred dollars $4300 to install new heating and ventilating apparatus and sanitary arrangements in the High School Building.

" 3. Voted, That the Town authorize the School Committee to expend a sum not exceeding forty-three hundred ($4300) dollars to install new heating and ventilating apparatus and sanitary arrangements in the High School Building.

" 4. Voted, To pass over.

" 5. Voted, That the Town of Westborough hereby concur with the Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners in the proposed change in the boundary line between the towns of Westborough and Shrewsbury, so that the same shall be as follows:

Beginning at a granite monument standing at the corner of the towns of Northborough, Shrewsbury and Westborough in latitude 42°16'43.72" and longitude 71°40'14.13"; thence south 34°16' east (true bearing) 5261 feet, to a granite monument standing on the northerly side of a highway at an angle in the present boundary line; thence south [illegible] west (true bearing) [illegible] feet to a granite monument standing in woodland at the southern end of a wall at an angle in the present boundary line; thence south [illegible] east (true bearing) [illegible] feet to a granite monument standing at the corner of the towns of Grafton, Shrewsbury and Westborough in latitude 42°15'18.66" and longitude 71°40'29.75."

Voted:— That the Town of Westborough hereby concurs with the Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners in the proposed change in the boundary line between the towns of Westborough and Grafton, so that the same shall be follows:— Beginning at a granite monument standing at the corner of the towns of Grafton, Shrewsbury and Westborough, in latitude 42°15'18.66" and longitude 71°40'29.75"; thence south 3°12' east (true bearing) 1376 feet to a granite monument standing on the northerly side of Nourse street at an angle in the present boundary line, thence south 31°46' east (true bearing) 1466 feet to a granite monument standing in a wall at an angle in the present boundary line; thence north 78°40' east (true bearing) 6[illegible] feet to a granite monument standing on the northerly side of a wall about 100 feet east of Jasper street, at an angle in the present boundary line; thence south 9°06' east (true bearing) [illegible] feet to a granite monument standing at the corner of the towns of Grafton, Upton and Westborough in latitude 42°13'36.04" and longitude 71°38'41.65."

Article 6. Voted, That the Town accept the gift of Samuel Winslow Pierce of Davenport, Iowa, of the lot of land in the rear of the Library Lot on Parkman Street, to be known as the Samuel Pierce Memorial Lot.

Voted, That the Town extend a vote of thanks to Samuel Winslow Pierce of Davenport, Iowa.

The following letter was sent to Mr. Pierce:-

Mr. Samuel Winslow Pierce,
Dear Sir:

At a Town Meeting held June 4, 1906, the Town voted, To accept the gift of Samuel Winslow Pierce of Davenport, Iowa, of the lot of land in the rear of the Library Lot on Parkman Street, to be known as the Samuel Pierce Memorial Lot.

Voted, To extend thanks to Samuel Winslow Pierce of Davenport, Iowa.

Westborough, Mass.
June 5, 1906.

Joseph S. Gates.
Town Clerk.

" 7. Voted, That the Treasurer is hereby authorized to foreclose, assign or discharge any mortgage now held or that may hereafter be held by the Library Building Fund and the Town Clerk is hereby authorized to affix the Town seal when necessary for that purpose.

" 8. Voted, That the Treasurer is hereby authorized with the consent and approval of the Public Library Trustees and Board of Selectmen to sell any real estate belonging to the Town as part of its Library Building Fund, so called, or any real estate that may hereafter come into the possession of the Town as part of said fund, at such time and in such manner and at such price, as the Treasurer and a majority of said Trustees may agree upon, and that the Town Clerk be authorized to affix the Town seal to all papers required to complete any such sale.

Voted, That the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay orders drawn by the Selectmen against the Library Building Fund to the amount of twenty-eight thousand dollars.

Know all men by these presents,
That I, Ellen L Pierce of Westborough in the County of Worcester and Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
in consideration of One Dollar and other valuable considerations to me paid by Samuel Winslow Pierce of Waterloo in the State of Iowa.,
the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do hereby give, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the Town of Westborough said County of Worcester, a certain lot of land situated, on the westerly side of Parkman Street in said Westborough, bounded as follows, viz:- Beginning at the Southeasterly corner thereof on said Street at land of said Town on which a Public Library Building is now in process of erection and called the "Library Lot," thence S. 38° W. on said Parkman Street eighty (80) feet to land of the heirs of Samuel Pierce, thence by said Pierce land S. 53° W. six rods and three links to land of the Evangelical Church in Westboro', thence by said Church land S. 37½° eighty feet to said "Library Lot" thence northerly by said Library Lot to said Street and point of beginning, for my title see deeds recorded with Worcester District Deeds Book 1657 pages 129, 130 and 132.

This conveyance is made at the request of Samuel Winslow Pierce on condition that the land be called the Samuel Pierce Memorial Lot and it is to be used in connection with and for the same uses as the above named "Library Lot"

To have and to hold the granted premises, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging to the said Town of Petersham and its successors and assigns, to their own use and behoof forever.

And I hereby for myself and my heirs, executors and administrators, covenant with the grantee and its successors and assigns that I am lawfully seized in fee simple of the granted premises, that they are free from all incumbrances,

that I have good right to sell and convey the same as aforesaid, and that I will and my heirs, executors and administrators shall warrant and defend the same to the grantee and its successors and assigns forever against the lawful claims and demands of all persons.

In Witness Whereof I the said Ellen L. Pierce being a widow hereunto set my hand and seal this thirtieth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

Signed and sealed in presence of } Ellen L. Pierce.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester ss. April 30th. 1906. Then personally appeared the above-named Ellen L. Pierce and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be her free act and deed, before me.

Albert F. Wilson,
Justice of the Peace.

Worcester ss.

May 1, 1906, at 8 hrs. 30 min. a.m. Received and entered with Worcester District Deeds, book 1825, page 391.

Attest:
Lottie M. Hibbard,
Asst. Register.

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 8.45 o'clock P.M.

Attest: Forest S. Shaw Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough on Friday the 6th. day of July at 7.45 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to borrow $1500.00 on notes of the Town to meet the expense of the repairs and alterations to the High School Building authorized at the meeting of the voters of the Town held June 4, 1906, or do or act anything in relation to the same.

" 3. To see if the Town will give the Board of Selectmen authority to contract with the State Highway Commissioners for the construction of the section of State Highway provided for and the allotment of said thousand dollars by said Commissioners or act anything in relation to same.

" 4. To see if the Town in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 501 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts and all acts and amendments thereto or in addition to the same will vote to construct, purchase or lease and maintain within its limits a plant for the manufacture and distribution of Electricity for furnishing light for municipal use and

light, heat and power, except for the operation of electric cars, for the use of its inhabitants or for anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-seventh day of June in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and six.

T. H. Reilly
C. A. Ladd
George N. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, June 27, 1906.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.,
July 6, 1906.

Meeting called to order at 7.15 P.M. by Town Clerk, Joseph S. Gates, who read the warrant.

Voted

Article 1. E. B. Harney was elected Moderator.

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 7.55 P.M.

Attest.

Joseph S. Gates
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the Sixteenth day of July 1906 at 7.45 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

Article 2. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to borrow $4300 on notes of the Town to meet the expense of the repairs and alterations to the High School building authorized at the meeting of the voters of the Town held June 4, 1906 or do or act anything in relation to the same.

Article 3. To see if the Town will give the Board of Selectmen authority to construct with the State Highway Commissioners for the construction of the section of State Highway provided for under the allotment of Six Thousand dollars by said Commissioners or act anything in relation to the same.

" 4. To see if the Town in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 34 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts and all acts and amendments thereto, or in addition to the same, will vote to construct, purchase, or lease and maintain within its limits a plant for the manufacture and distribution of Gas or Electricity for furnishing lights for municipal use, and light, heat and power, except for the operation of Electric Cars, for the use of its inhabitants, or act anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough, or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this Seventh day of July in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and Six.

T. H. Reilly
E. A. Lord.
George H. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss. Westboro, July 9, 1906.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. M. Wagner
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
July 6, 1906.

Meeting called to order at 7.45 P.M. by Town Clerk, Joseph S. Gates, who read the warrant.

Under

Article 1. E. B. Harvey was chosen Moderator.

" 2. Voted unanimously, That the Town authorize its Treasurer to [illegible] forty three hundred ($4300) dollars on two notes of the Town, the first for the sum of twenty-three hundred ($2300) dollars and payable in the year 1910, and the second for the sum of two thousand ($2000) dollars and payable in the year 1911, both drawing interest at the rate of 4% per annum, payable semi-annually, said notes to be used to meet the expense of the repairs and alterations to the high School building authorized at the Town Meeting held June 4, 1906.

" 3. Voted, That the Town give the Board of Selectmen authority to contract with the State Highway Commission for the construction of a section of State Highway in this Town, provided for under the allotment of six thousand ($6000) dollars by said Commission.

4. J. W. Slattery moved, That the Town of Westborough be authorized in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 34 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts and all acts in amendment thereof or in addition thereto, to construct, purchase, or lease and maintain within its limits a plant for the manufacture and distribution of gas or electricity for furnishing light for municipal use, light, heat and power, except for the operation of electric cars, for the use of its inhabitants.

The tellers appointed were H. J. W. Fay, and C. M. Robinson

tellers in charge of the checklists. S. R. Chase and W. H. Sanford and P. Brigham had charge of the ballot-box.

Balloting commenced.

Total number of votes cast was one hundred and fifty-eight (158).

Yes had thirty-eight (38) votes.

No had one hundred and twenty (120) votes.

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 7.55 o'clock, P. M.

attest. Joseph S. Gates,
Town clerk.

In Board of Selectmen.
Westboro, Massachusetts, Sept. 19, 1906.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated. A plan of locations hereby granted is to be filed.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications. The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:
Milk Street from end of our present line near residence of C. H. Reed to the residence of Mr. George H. Hero.

Signatures of Selectmen. T. H. Reilly
C. A. Lord.

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough, Mass. Book 8 Page 366.

We hereby certify that on Sept. 1, 1906 at 2 o'clock P. M. at the Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of New England Telephone and Telegraph Company for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

T. K. Reilly
O. A. Lord
Selectmen.

To Board of Selectmen.
Westboro, Massachusetts,

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said Town hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications.

The poles shall be located between travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway.

After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Cross street from the end of our present line to the residence of Alice A. Callaghan.

Signatures of Selectmen.

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough, Mass. Book 8 page 308.

We hereby certify that on September 29, 1906 at 2 o'clock P. M. at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

F. H. Reilly,
E. A. Lovell,
George H. Rogers,
Selectmen.

Office of Town Clerk.
Westborough, Mass.
Mar. 19, 1907.

To Geneva A. Perry,

In accordance with Section 62, Chapter 25, R. L. you are hereby appointed Assistant Town Clerk for the Town of Westborough, Mass; to take effect at this date.

[L. S.]

Attest.

Joseph S. Gale
Town Clerk

In Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Massachusetts, Oct. 10, 1906.

Voted: "That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may desire, in the streets and highways of said Town hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications. The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Phillips street between Church street and the residence of C B. Forter.

Signatures of the Selectmen: { T. H. Reilly. / E. A. Ford.

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough, Book 8, Page 350.

We hereby certify that on Oct. 6th. 1906, at 10 o'clock A.M. at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

F. H. Reilly,
E. A. Ford,
Selectmen.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of
Westborough in the County of Worcester,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Friday the twenty-eighth day of September 1916 at 7.45 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To hear and act upon the reports of officers and committees of the town.

" 3 To see if the town in conformity with the provisions of Chapter 332 of the Acts and Resolves of 1906 will vote to borrow the sum of $35000.00 on notes or bonds of the town and appropriate the same for the purpose of erecting, furnishing and equipping a new school building, or act anything else thereon.

" 4 To see if the town will provide for the repayment of such sum as it may vote to borrow under the preceding Article No. 3 in such annual proportionate payments as will extinguish the same within the time prescribed in said Chapter 332, or act anything thereon.

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Article 5. To see if the town will authorize its school committee to build a ... eight room school building on the land of the town on Grove street now occupied by the Forbes and Whitney schools, to tear down or remove the present buildings and to make all necessary contracts for the foregoing purposes in the name of the town; or do or act anything in relation to the same.

" 6 To see if the town will appropriate such sum or sums of money as may be necessary under the preceding articles of this warrant.

" 7 To see if the Town will vote to accept in all respects the provisions of Chapter #332 of the Acts and Resolves of 1906.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-first day of September in the year of our Lord Nineteen hundred and six.

T. H. Reilly
E. A. Ford
George H. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester ss.

Westboro, Sept. 21st, 1926.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Magner,
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.,
Sept. 28, 1926.

Meeting called to order at 7.45 P.M. by Town Clerk, Joseph E. Gates, who read the warrant.

Under

Article 1. E. P. Brown was chosen Moderator.

" 2 The School Committee reported as follows:

Acts and Resolves of 1906, Chapter 332, Sections 1 to 3.

(An act to authorize the Town of Westborough to construct a School Building.

Be it Enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 1. The town of Westborough, for the purpose of erecting, furnishing and equipping a new School building, is hereby authorized to borrow a sum not exceeding thirty-five thousand dollars, and to issue notes or bonds therefor. Such notes or bonds shall be denominated on the face thereof, Town of Westborough School Loan, Act of 1926, shall be payable at the expiration of periods not exceeding twenty years from the dates of issue, shall bear interest, payable semi-annually, at a rate not exceeding four per cent per annum, and shall be signed by the treasurer and

countersigned by the selectmen of the town. The town may sell such securities at public or private sale, or pledge the same for money borrowed for the purpose aforesaid, upon such terms and conditions as it may deem expedient, provided they shall not be sold for less than the par value thereof.

Section 2. Said town shall at the time of authorizing the said loan provide for the payment thereof in such annual proportionate payments as will extinguish the same within the time prescribed in this act; and when a vote to that effect has been passed the amount required thereby shall, without further vote, be assessed by the assessors of the town in each year thereafter, in the same manner in which other taxes are assessed under the provisions of section thirty-seven of chapter twelve of the Revised Laws, until the debt incurred by the loan is extinguished. Said town shall also raise annually by taxation a sum which will be sufficient to pay the interest as it accrues on the notes or bonds issued under authority of this act.

Section 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage. [Approved Apr. 28, 1906.]

Article 9. Voted unanimously, That the Town in conformity with Chapter 332 of the Acts of 1906, borrow the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars ($35000), on twenty serial notes of the Town for the purpose of building, equipping and furnishing a new school building. Said notes shall be designated on their face thereof, Town of Westborough School

Loan, Act of 1906. They shall be payable annually, the first at the expiration of one year, the second at the expiration of two years, and so on, the last at the expiration of twenty years, from their dates of issue; shall bear interest at four per cent per annum payable semi annually; and shall be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by the Selectmen of the Town.

Said notes may be sold at public or private sale, or pledged for money borrowed for the aforesaid purpose, upon such terms and conditions as the Town Treasurer and Selectmen may deem most expedient, provided that they shall not be sold for less than the par value thereof. Each of the above notes shall be for the sum of one twentieth of thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000, or seventeen hundred and fifty dollars ($750

Article 4. Passed over.

Article 5. Voted, That the School Committee is hereby authorized to build on the land of the town on Grove street now occupied by the Forbes and Whitney schools, a new eight room school building, to remove or tear down, as said committee shall deem expedient, the school buildings now located on said land, and to make all necessary contracts for the foregoing purposes in the name of the town.

Article 6. Voted, That for the purpose of meeting the expenditures which shall be found

necessary to carry out the authority given to the School Committee by the vote of the town under the preceding article number five, the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000.) be hereby appropriated by the town.

Article 7. Voted, That the Town accept in all respects the provisions of Chapter 332 of the Acts of 1906.

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 9.30 P. M.

Attest:- Joseph S. Graves,
Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Tuesday the sixth day of November 1906 at 6 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To bring in on one ballot their votes for the following State and County officers.

Governor
Lieutenant-Governor
Secretary of State
Treasurer
Auditor
Attorney-General
Councillor for 7th. Councillor District
Senator for the 4th. Worcester District
Representative in Congress 3rd. District
Two Representatives in the General Court for the 10th. Worcester District
Clerk of Courts
County Commissioner
Register of Deeds
County Treasurer

The polls shall remain open until four o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said

Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty ninth day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and six.

T. H. Reilly
E. A Ford
George H Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, Oct. 30th. 1906.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Magner,
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
Nov. 6, 1906.

In pursuance with the foregoing Warrant the Inhabitants qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in the Town Hall and were called to order at 6 o'clock in the forenoon by Thomas H. Reilly, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who proceeded to read the Warrant.

W H. Sanford, E. B. Putnam,
H. J. Chase, Wm. Halloran,

Ballot Clerks were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. The ballots were delivered to the presiding officer who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.

The Ballot Box was examined in the presence of the voters, found empty, was locked and the keys were given to Constable John F. Nash

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness the voting began.

O. M. Robinson, W. H. Edmunds, Frank Hannon, B. C. Hathaway, J. F. Sullivan, J. W. Britton, J. F. Hogan, John Mathews were duly sworn as Tellers by the Town Clerk.

It was unanimously voted by the Election Officers and Town Clerks to open the ballot box at 8.45 A.M.

At 8.45 A.M. the ballot box was opened and two hundred and forty-two (242)
242 ballots taken therefrom.

At 11.5 A.M. the ballot box was opened and one hundred and fifty-eight
400 (158) ballots were taken therefrom.

At 2 P.M. the ballot box was opened and one hundred and fifty ballots (150)
550 were taken therefrom.

At 3 P.M. it was
Voted, To close the polls at 4.30 P.M.

At 4 P.M. the ballot box was opened
650 and one hundred (100) ballots were taken therefrom.

At 4-30 P.M. the ballot box was opened
671 and twenty-one (21) ballots taken therefrom.

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked, and the keys given to the Constable.

The presiding officer announced that six hundred and seventy-one (671) ballots had been distributed and six hundred and seventy-one (671) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 671.

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared and read by the presiding officer at 5.20 o'clock P.M. as follows:

For Governor.

Francis Bradford, of Wakefield had six 6
James F. Carey of Haverhill had eleven 11
William H. Carroll, of Boston had one 1
Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston had four hundred and twenty-seven 427
John B. Moran, of Boston (Prohibition) had twenty-eight 28
John B. Moran, of Boston (Independence League) had thirty-four 34
John B. Moran, of Boston (Democratic) had one hundred and thirty-nine 139
John B. Moran, of Boston (No designation), twelve 12
Blanks 13

For Lieutenant Governor.

E. Leroy Brown, of Brockton had two hundred and eighteen 218
Hiram P. Cowell, of Ashburnham had ten 10
Eben F. Draper, of Hopedale had three hundred and ninety-one 391
Walter C. Hoar, of Worcester had six 6
John F. Mullen, of Fitchburg had Twelve 12
Blanks 34

For Secretary.

João Claudino, of New Bedford had one	1
Jonathan S. Lewis, of Stoneham had three	3
Ambrose Miles, of Lynn had thirteen	13
William M. Cain, of Boston had four hundred and thirty-six	436
Charles C. Paine, of Barnstable had one hundred and sixty-eight	168
Blanks	50

For Treasurer.

Arthur B. Chapin, of Holyoke had four hundred and thirty-three	433
George B. Cushman, of Brockton had eleven	11
J. Frederick French, of Mansfield had six	6
George M. Harrigan, of Lowell had one hundred and sixty-four	164
David T. Richardson, of Lynn had three	3
Blanks	54

For Auditor.

Albert Barnes, of Fall River had three	3
Thomas L. Hisgen, of West Springfield had one hundred sixty-five	165
Fred L. Johnson, of Lynn had thirteen	13
James F. Peak, of Merrimac had thirteen	13
Irene E. Turner, of Malden had four hundred and twenty-one	421
Blanks	56

For Attorney-General.

Allen Coffin, of Nantucket had nine	9
Dana Malone, of Greenfield had three hundred and ninety-three	393
Arthur E. Reimer, of Boston had two	2
John Weaver Sherman, of Boston had thirteen	13
John A. Thayer, of Worcester had one hundred ninety-five	195
Robert Cox, of Westborough had one	1

For Representative in Congress. Third District.

William J. McLoughlin, of Worcester had one hundred and ninety-six 196

Charles G. Washburn, of Worcester had four hundred and fourteen 414

Louis F. Weiss, of Worcester had eighteen 18

Blanks 43

For Councillor - Seventh District.

Robert Lawrance, of Clinton had nineteen 19

Calvin D. Paige, of Southbridge had four hundred and eleven 411

Charles T. Pratt, of Worcester had one hundred and sixty-five 165

Blanks 76

For Senator - Fourth Worcester District

William H. Garner, of Westborough had twenty-seven 27

Winfield S. Schuster, of Douglas had four hundred and eleven 411

Arthur E. Seagrave, of Uxbridge had one hundred and sixty-five 165

Blanks 68

For Representatives in General Court. Tenth Worcester District

George A. Corey, of Clinton had one hundred and thirty-four 134

George Knox, of Clinton had fifteen 15

Charles Mayberry, of Clinton had three hundred and sixty-two 362

Arthur Oehmer, of Clinton had nine 9

William James Potter, of Northborough had three hundred and fifty-six 356

Thomas H. Reilly, of Westborough had two hundred and twenty-four 224

Joseph F. Gates, of Westborough had one 1

Blanks 241

For County Commissioner, Worcester.

George S. Clemence, of Southbridge had four hundred and twenty-two 422

Edward N. Jenckes, of Douglas had one hundred and fifty-five 155

John C. Sanborn, of Fitchburg, had eighteen 18

Blanks 71

For Clerk of Courts, Worcester County.

Charles F. Gaunty, of Worcester had one hundred and sixty-five 165

Theodore S. Johnson, of Worcester had four hundred and twenty-nine 429

Blanks 77

For Register of Deeds, Worcester District.

Olof Bokelund, of Worcester had sixteen 16

Daniel Kent, of Worcester had four hundred and twenty-five 425

James F. Ryan of Worcester had one hundred and fifty-seven 157

Blanks 73

For County Treasurer, Worcester County.

Edward A. Brown, of Worcester had four hundred and twenty-eight 428

George E. Harris, of Leominster had nineteen 19

Nicholas J. Mooney, of Worcester had one hundred and sixty-two 162

Blanks 62

After the declaration of the result of the voting, the ballots used and unused together with the check lists were sealed and attested by the Election Officers and delivered to the Town Clerk in accordance with the statutes.

The presiding officer accordingly declared the meeting dissolved.

attest Joseph S. Gates Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Statement of Votes for Representatives
to General Court, Tenth Worcester District.

Commonwealth of

Statement of Votes for Representatives,

Names of Candidates	Residences	Berlin	Bolton
George A. Carey	Clinton	13	10
George Knox	"	1	2
Charles Dougherty	"	120	74
Arthur Skinner	"		5
William James Potter	Northborough	114	61
Thomas H. Reilly	Westborough	8	10
George A Bigham	Northborough		
Joseph E Gates	Westborough		
Blanks		54	70
Total		310	222

We, the Town Clerks of the towns
herein certify that the above is a true
Sixth day of November, 1906, for two
us by the Selectmen of the Towns

Clinton, Mass., Nov. 16, 1906.

Massachusetts.

To General Court, South Worcester District.

Boylston	Clinton	Northboro	Southboro	Westboro	West Boylston	Total.
7	984	45	52	134	24	1269
	160	8	1	15	1	188
65	940	197	146	362	96	2000
	129	4	4	9		151
56	707	231	133	356	86	1744
7	790	50	68	224	22	1179
		1				1
				1		1
39	486	80	154	241	49	1163
174	4196	616	558	1342	278	7696

South Representative District of Worcester

Statement of the returns of votes cast on the Representative to the General Court, made to in said District.

Frank H. Grossman, Town Clerk of Berlin.
Amary S. Haynes, Town Clerk of Bolton.
George L. Wright, Town Clerk of Boylston.
James F. Carr, Town Clerk of Clinton.
Francis W. Harrington, Town Clerk of Northboro.
Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk of Southboro.
Joseph S. Gates, Town Clerk of Westboro.
William F. Holmes, Town Clerk of West Boylston.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester S S.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough on Tuesday the eighteenth day of December 1906 at 6.30 o'clock in the fore-noon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To bring in on our ballot their votes for the following State Officer

2. Representative in Congress 3rd. District.

The polls shall remain open until four o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this Tenth day of December in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and six.

O. H. Reilly / Selectmen
E. A. Ford \ of
George F Rogers Westborough.

Worcester ss.

Westboro, Dec. 10th, 1906.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner,
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
Dec. 18, 1906.

In pursuance with the foregoing Warrant, the Inhabitants qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in the Town Hall and were called to order at 6-30 o'clock in the forenoon by Thomas H. Reilly, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who proceeded to read the Warrant.

Wm. Halloran, C. B. Putnam
C. R. C. W. Law,

Ballot Clerks, were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. The Ballots were delivered to the presiding officer who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.

The Ballot Box was examined in the presence of the voters, found empty, was locked, and the keys were given to Constable John C. Crowe.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness, the voting began.

J. W. Bittan, Canus F. Sullivan,
J. W. Slattery, Frank Hannon,
were duly sworn as Tellers by the Town Clerk.

It was unanimously voted by the Election Officers and Town Clerk to open the ballot box at 2.40 P. M.

At 2.40 P. M. the ballot box was opened and fifty ballots (50) taken therefrom. 50

Voted. To close the polls at 4 o'clock P. M.

At 4 P. M. the ballot box was opened and fifteen (15) ballots taken therefrom. 65

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked, and the keys given to the Constable.

The presiding officer announced that sixty-five (65) ballots had been distributed and (65) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 65.

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared by the presiding officer at 4.15 o'clock P. M. as follows:

For Representative in Congress
Third District.

Charles G. Washburn of Worcester had
thirty-eight 38
Thomas F. Reilly of Westboro had
nineteen 19
Joseph F. Gates of Westboro had four 4
Blanks 4

After the declaration of the result of the voting, the ballots used and unused together with the check lists were sealed and attested by the Election Officers and delivered to the Town Clerk in accordance with the statutes.

The presiding officer accordingly declared the meeting dissolved.

attest Joseph S. Nates Town Clerk

In Board of Selectmen.
Westboro, Massachusetts,
Dec 29, 1906.

Voted: That The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

West Main St. from res. of W. W. Goddard to Adams St.

Adams St. from West Main St. to res. of A. H. & R. C. Knowlton.

T. H. Reilly } Selectmen of
E. A. Lord } Westborough.

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough, Book 8, Page 33 & later.

Town Clerk.

We hereby certify that on Jan. 19, 1907 at 2 o'clock P. M. at the Selectmen's Office a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification herein endorsed and that we mailed, at least three days before said hearing, a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

T. H. Reilly
E. A. Lord

Selectmen.

Westborough and Hopkinton.

We the subscribers, Selectmen of Hopkinton and Westborough having met this 7th day of January 1897 agreeable to a notice given by the Selectmen of Hopkinton, that [illegible] being the more ancient town, for the purpose of perambulating the lines and renewing the marks between said towns, having attended to that duty and make the following report:

Beginning at a stone monument marked H. W. 2. standing by the north side of a rock easterly the Prentice Mills so called, it being the corner bound of Hopkinton, Westborough and Southborough, thence S. 76¼° W. to a stone monument marked H. W. near the river on land of the town of Hopkinton, thence continuing the same course to a stone monument marked H. W. in the swamp north of the house of Mrs. Harriet Fitch and known as the Joshua Mellen place thence S. 26¼° W. 765 rods to a stone monument marked H. W. W. standing in a southwesterly direction from the house of John and Lawson Gibbs, the same being the corner bound of Hopkinton, Westborough and Upton.

Oscar B. Pond.
Dennis J. O'Brien,
Pro Tem.
} Selectmen of Hopkinton.

T. H. Reilly
E. A. Ford
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Town of Framingham.
In Board of Selectmen.

Whereas, the Boston & Worcester Street Railway Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the Commonwealth and operating a street railway in Framingham, have petitioned the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Framingham for the appointment of the persons designated in said petition as Street Railway Police under such appointments to be made under Chapter 463 Section 19 Acts and Resolves 1906, the Board, at a meeting held Feb. 14, 1907, grant the prayer of the Petitioners and appoint the following as Street Railway Police with the powers and under the Regulations as set forth in sections 50-51-52-53-54-55, Chapter 463, Acts and Resolves, 1906.

E. Stewart McLean,	Framingham,	Main St.
Chester W. Drake	So. Framingham,	Bishop St.
Walter F. Stapleton,	Framingham,	Rose St.
Joseph H. Hearn,	"	Hastingsville
Ernest L. Mitchell,	"	Salem St.
Oliver G. Hoyt,	So. Framingham	37 Freeman St.
John B. Collins,	Framingham,	Worcester St.
John A. Fuller,	"	Cochituate Rd.
H. Frank Sears,	.	Worcester St.
Israel A. Tuttle,	"	Off " "
Maxham E. Nash,	So. Framingham,	15 Lexington "
W. H. Wadsworth,	Willeys Hills,	Cedar St.
N. F. Place,	" "	" "
G. R. Mudgett,	" "	Eastland "
H. S. Butterfield,		Worcester "
H. Brown,		Cedar "
E. Spray,		
Thos. McCabe,		" "
W. W. Patten,		" "

L. W. Newbegin,	Wellesley Hills,	Hastings	St.
Wm. B. Stout,	"	Cedar	"
R. S. Forgate,	"	"	"
O. A. Gould,	"	"	"
J. F. Goodwin,	"	Hunnewell	"
Charles E. Forehand,	Newton Highlands,	Chestnut	"
Edward C. Lyons,	Boston,	18 Claremont	"
H. W. McKay,	Marlborough,	37 Maple	"
F. E. Smith,	"	45 Maple	"
J. E. Smith,	"	142	" "
E. Lavelle,	"	5 Mill	"
O. E. Rougeau,	"	26 River	"
E. C. Whitney,	"	5 Madison	"
E. Closson, Jr.	"	17 Chestnut	"
G. D. Ladd,	"	14	" "
J. P. Calleary,	"	3 Dorr Pl.	
Philip H. Carroll,	"	27 Brook	St.
D. J. Sawyer,	Westborough,	7 Park	"
A. B. Marks,	"	"	"
J. E. Fitzpatrick,	"	"	"
P. C. Mahoney,	"	81 South	"
Wm. Hanson,	"	Belmont	"
J. W. McKeage,	"	Grove	

William H. Walsh
John L. Young
Hubert W Canada
Selectmen of
Framingham.

A true copy attest.
Waxham E. Nash,
Justice of the Peace.

The Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Massachusetts, May 2d. 1907.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Ruggles street from the residence of Jas. A. Holmes to residence of L. S. Ferguson

Bowman street from Ruggles Street to South St

Signatures of Selectmen { T. H. Reilly. E. A. Ford. George H Rogers.

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough Book 8 Page 338.

We hereby certify that on March 2, 1907, at 2 o'clock, P. M. at the Town Hall a public hearing was held on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed, at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

J. H. Reilly,
E. A. Ford,
George H. Rogers.
} Selectmen.

Office of Town Clerk.
Westborough, Mass.
Mar. 9, 1907.

To Geneva A. Perry.-

In accordance with Section 62, Chapter 25, R. L. you are hereby appointed Assistant Town Clerk for the Town of Westborough, Mass. to take effect at this date.

[L.S.]

Attest.

Joseph S. Gale
Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in Westborough, on Monday the fourth day of March 1907 at 6.30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

2. To authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year beginning January 1st. 1907 in anticipation of the collection of taxes of said year such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for said year, giving the notes of the Town therefor, payable within one year from the dates thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

3 To see if the town will appoint a committee to consider appropriations for the ensuing year, and report at an adjourned meeting.

4 To bring in on our ballot their votes for the following offices: Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three Assessors, Collector of Taxes, one Overseer of the Poor, Auditor, three members of the School Committee, one member of the Board of Health, three Trustees of the Public Library, nine Constables.

one Trustee of the Cemetery, one Water Commissioner for three years, one Sewer Commissioner for three years, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, five Wardens, and vote "Yes" or "No" on the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in the Town?

" 5 To choose all other necessary town officers.

" 6. To hear and act on the reports of the various town officers.

" 7 To hear and act on the reports of any outstanding committees.

" 8 To see if the town will accept the List of Jurors presented by the Selectmen.

" 9 To see if the town will instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a Superintendent for both departments.

" 11 To see if the town will print its Valuation and Tax Lists.

" 12 To see if the town will print its Warants and the action taken thereon in the annual town officers' reports.

12 To see what disposition the town will make of its Dog Fund.

Article 13 To see if the town will maintain a night watch.

" 14 To see if the town will refund the whole or any part of its floating debt.

" 15 To see if the town will grant the free use of the town hall to the Grand Army of the Republic on occasions, the proceeds of which is to replenish its relief funds, or act anything thereon.

" 16 To see if the town will vote to appropriate any sum of money to be expended by the School Committee in carrying out the provisions of Chapter 502, Acts of 1906.

" 17 To see if the town will authorize the Town Treasurer to transfer the balance on hand of the appropriation for Firemen's Salaries to the Incidental account.

" 18 To see if the town will refund to Michael O'Connor and Grace M. Connor any part of the fund paid by them for licenses of the first and fourth classes to sell intoxicating liquors on the Whitney House premises for the year ending April 30, 1907, or act thereon, or make any appropriation therefor.

" 19 To see if the town will place an electric light at or near the junction of Rugby and Cross streets for the ensuing year, or act anything relating

" 20 To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to issue licenses to dealers in junk, or act anything relative thereto.

" 21 To see if the town will light its streets by Electricity, or act anything in relation tho the same.

" 22 To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to treat the road on East Main Street under the Boston and Albany Railroad Bridge in the manner recommended by the State Highway Commissioners, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 23 To see if the town will appropriate money for the purpose of carrying on the work of destroying the Gypsy and Brown tail moths, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 24 To see if the town will appropriate money for the Fire Department Salaries and fix the same for the coming year. To see what sums the town will appropriate for its Fire Department Incidentals, for the Town Hall, for the care of its Highways and Bridges, for its Pauper Department, for its Contingent expenses, for its Public Library, for the care of its Cemeteries, for its Health Department, and for the support of its Public Schools; also for its Police Department, for Salaries of Town Officers, for Street Lighting by Electricity, for the use of Hydrants, for Memorial Day, for Sewer

maintenance, for Sewer Sinking Fund for Water Sinking Fund, for Sidewalks and Crossings, for Soldiers' Relief, for Military Aid, for Tree Warden, for the Board of Health, and for Street Watering.

" 25 To see if the town will appropriate money for current expenses and grant an amount sufficient to cover all appropriations made under this warrant.

" 26 The Polls shall remain open until three o'clock in the afternoon, at which hour the time for closing may be fixed by vote.

" 27 To see what action the town will take to meet the deficit incurred in constructing the Library Building, or act anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands, this Twenty third day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seven.

P. H. Reilly, E. A. Ford, George H. Rogers, } Selectmen of Westborough

Worcester ss.

Westboro, February 25th 1907.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner,
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
Mar. 4, 1907.

In pursuance with the foregoing warrant the inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in the Town Hall, and at 6.30 o'clock a.m. were called to order by the Town Clerk, who proceeded to read the warrant, and under

Art. 1. Proceeded to ballot for Moderator. J. W. Flattery had one hundred and eighteen (118) votes and Warren C. Jackson had one hundred and fifty-six (156) votes. Warren C. Jackson was declared elected and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

" 2. Voted unanimously, That the Treasurer be, and hereby is authorized, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year beginning Jan. 1, 1907 in anticipation of the collection of taxes the sum of forty thousand dollars, giving the

notes of the town therefor, payable within one year after the date thereof. All debts incurred under the authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

" 3. Voted, That the Moderator appoint a Standing Committee on Finance, consisting of seven members, to serve until and including the next annual March meeting, to whom shall be referred for consideration and report all matters calling for appropriations by the town. The committee chosen was as follows: M. H. Walker, T. F. Reilly, Will H. Sanford, John Crowe, Henry A. Gilmore, Cyrus H. Pease and John Nash.

" 4. Voted, That the Town proceed to bring in on one ballot the following officers, viz: Town Clerk; three Selectmen; Collector of Taxes, one Overseer of the Poor, Auditor, three members of the School Committee, one member of the Board of Health, three Trustees of the Public Library, nine Constables, one Trustee of the Cemetery, one Water Commissioner for three years, one Sewer Commissioner for three years, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, Tree Warden, and vote "Yes" or "No" on the question "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

Ballot Clerks: J. R. J. W. Fay and Wm. Halloran.

Tellers: John W Brittan, C. M. Robinson, John Mathews, M. M.

Rockwood, James F. Sullivan, F. J. Hannon, E. E. Thomas and J. F. Hogan and Tellers in charge of Check Lists, Joseph Reilly and W. H. Sanford. Constable, John Crowe.

Received from Town Clerk J. S. Gates, eleven hundred (1100) Official Ballots and fifty (50) Women's Ballots.

Warren P. Jackson,
Moderator.

The ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found and declared empty, was locked and the keys given to Constable John Crowe.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness, the voting began.

It was unanimously voted by the Moderator, Town Clerk and Election Officers to open the ballot box at 8-30 a.m., and as many times thereafter as necessary, for the purpose of taking ballots therefrom to facilitate counting votes cast.

229 At 8.30 a.m. the ballot box was opened and two hundred and twenty nine (229) ballots taken therefrom.

At 11 a.m. the ballot box was opened
435 and two hundred and six (206) ballots taken therefrom.

748 At 2 P.M. the ballot box was opened and three hundred and thirteen (313) ballots taken therefrom.

Art. 26. Voted, To close the polls at 4-30 P. M.

Voted, That when the meeting is adjourned, it be adjourned to March 18, 1907 at 10 o'clock A. M.

9:21 At 4.30 P. M. the ballot box was opened and seventy four (74) ballots taken therefrom, also eight (8) ballots cast by women for School Committee.

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked and the keys given to the Constable.

The Moderator announced that eight hundred and twenty-two ballots had been distributed and eight hundred and twenty-two (822) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 822

After the ballots had been counted, the result was declared at 6.40 P. M. as follows:

For Town Officers.
For Town Clerk.

Joseph S. Gates had five hundred and sixty-three votes 563
Blanks had two hundred and fifty-seven votes 257
Scattering had two votes. 2

Selectmen.

Everett A. Lord had six hundred and thirty-one votes 631
Thomas H. Reilly had six hundred and three votes 603
George H. Rogers had six hundred and twenty-two votes 622
Blanks had five hundred and ninety-one votes 591
Scattering had nineteen votes 19

Assessors.

Henry L. Chase had five hundred and twenty-three votes 523
David P. Day had five hundred and twenty-six votes 526
John B. Fitch had three hundred and forty votes 340
Fred P. Rogers had five hundred and sixty-seven votes 567
Blanks had five hundred and nine votes 509
Scattering had one vote 1

Treasurer.

Harry W. Kimball had five hundred and eighty-one votes 581
Blanks had two hundred and forty-one votes 241

Collector of Taxes.

Joseph S. Gates had five hundred and eighty-one votes 581
Blanks had two hundred and forty-one votes 241

Overseer of Poor. 3 years.

Uriah Searles had five hundred and fifty-four votes 554
Blanks had two hundred and sixty-seven votes 267
Scattering had one vote 1

Auditor.

Lawrence F. Fales had five hundred and sixty-seven votes 567
Blanks had two hundred and fifty-five votes 255

School Committee 3 years.

Frank V. Bartlett had five hundred and seventy-five votes 575
Albert W. F. Clark had five hundred and twenty-five votes 525
G. Milton Fisher had four hundred and ninety-eight votes 498
Thomas H. Hackett had two hundred and forty-six votes 246
Blanks had six hundred and forty votes 640
Scattering had six votes 6

Board of Health. 3 years.

James Brady had one hundred and eighty-eight votes 188
Daniel P. Lilley had four hundred and seventy-five votes 475
Blanks had one hundred and fifty-eight votes 158
Scattering had one vote 1

Trustee of Public Library. 5 years
Edwin B Warren had four hundred
and forty-five votes 445
Annie Kyevan had two hundred and
thirty-two votes 232
Emma F. House had five
hundred and five votes 505
Melvin H. Walker had four
hundred and eighty-one votes 481
Blanks had eight hundred and
one votes 801
Scattering had two votes 2

Constables.
Dexter P. Brigham had five hundred
and nineteen votes 519
John P. Crowe had five hundred
and five votes 505
John Lee had four hundred
and ninety-seven votes 497
John Ford had five hundred votes 500
William Wagner had five hundred
and twenty-three votes 523
James H. McDonald had five
hundred and six votes 506
Henry G. Mooney had four
hundred and seventy-nine votes 479
John F. Nash had four hundred and
ninety-seven votes 497
William H. Sullivan had four
hundred and ninety-nine votes 499
Blanks had two thousand eight
hundred and sixty-five votes 2865
Scattering had eight votes 8

Trustee of Cemeteries. 5 years.
Charles S. Henry had five hundred and
forty one votes 541
Blanks had two hundred and eighty five votes 285

Water Commissioner, 3 yrs.

Ira M. Beaman had five hundred and thirty-eight votes 538
Blanks had two hundred and ninety-three votes 293
Scattering had one vote 1

Sewer Commissioner, 3 yrs.

Ira M. Beaman had five hundred and twenty-seven votes 527
Blanks had two hundred and ninety-three votes 293
Scattering had two votes 2

Sinking Fund Commissioner. 3 yrs.

John F. C. Poole had two hundred and one votes 201
Melvin H. Walker had four hundred and twenty six votes 426
Blanks had one hundred and ninety-five votes 195

Tree Wardens

Charles L. Hayes had five hundred and twenty-one votes 521
Blanks had three hundred and one votes 301

Liquors

Yes had three hundred and ninety-seven votes 397
No had four hundred and two votes 402
Blanks had twenty three votes 23

The ballots used and unused, together with the check lists were sealed, attested by the election officers, and delivered to the Town Clerk as the law directs.

Adjourned to Monday, March 19, 1917 at 7 o'clock A.M.

Westborough, Mass. March 18, 1907.

Town assembled for adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator.

Article 5. Under this article officers were chosen as follows:

Fence Viewers.

John F. Johnson # James B. Putnam
John W. Flattery.

Measurers of Wood.

Harry W. Kimball # Nathan W. Knowlton
John S. Nason.

Surveyors of Lumber:

Harry W. Kimball # Nathan W. Knowlton
John S. Nason.

Public Weighers.

Everett E. Butterfield Frederick A. Platt
Frederick W. Kimball

" 6. Voted, To accept the printed report of the Auditor and Town Officers.

" 7 The Appropriation Committee reported in print. Voted, To accept their report. (See page 361 article 7)

" 8 Voted, To accept the list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen, except the names of Charles F. Harrington and George W. Marsh.

Charles Allaire — Joseph H. Brown
James Archer — L. Franklin Buchan
Erving W Babcock — Arthur H. Buxton
Samuel A. Bates — John W Casey
Moses E. Bombard — Sat T. Chase
Charles H. Bowman — Clarence H. Coggins
Frank G. Braley — Victor Coolidge

John F. Craffey
W. H. Fairbanks
Frank A. Falkner
George A. Ferguson
Herbert C. Forbes
William B. Frost
Joseph S. Gates
Edward T. Gilmore
E. Ellsworth Graves
Willard Graves
Henry D. Green
Frank H. Hackett
Thomas H. Hackett
William J. Halloran
Frank Hannon
Arthur B. Harvey
J. F. Hayden
Timothy J. Hayden
Butler W. Hero
Thomas W. Humphrey
John T. Johnson
James A. Kelly
Nathan M. Knowlton
Frank C. Lamb
Foster A. Lebeau
Charles L. Leonard
Michael J. Linnane
Oscar A. Marshall
Charles S. Marshall
John Mathews
Arthur L. McDonald
Owen J. Meighan
John F. Nash
Arthur M. Nourse
Thomas O'Brien
Frederick A. Pratt
Almon H. Putnam
Michael J. Ray
Joseph H. Reilly
William F. Revere
Frederick P. Rogers
W. A. Sanford
W. H. Sanford
John J. Sheehan
George S. Smith
William C. Sproul
Frank A. Stone
James F. Sullivan
Mason Taft
Thomas H. Treadway
George E. Walker
Irving E. Walker
M. H. Walker
Waldo H. Warren.

Article 9. Voted, That the Town instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ one Superintendent for both departments.

10 Voted, To print the Warrants and the action taken thereon in the annual town officer's report.

11 Voted, To print the Valuation and Tax List.

rticle 12 Voted, That the Dog Fund be given to the Town Library.

" 13 Voted, That the Town maintain a Night Watch.

" 14 Voted, To pass over.

" 15 Voted, To pass over.

" 16 Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars ($100) to be expended by the School Committee in carrying out the provisions of Chapter 502, acts of 1906.

" 17 Voted, That the Town authorize the Treasurer to transfer the balance on hand of the appropriation for Firemen's Salaries to the Incidental account.

" 18 Voted, To pass over.

" 19 Voted, To pass over.

" 20 Voted, That the Selectmen prepare a by-law and report at a future meeting.

" 21 Voted, That the Town light its streets by electricity.

" 22 Voted, To pass over.

" 23 Voted, To appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) for the purpose of destroying the gypsy and brown-tail moths.

Article. 24 Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) and receipts for its Cemeteries.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty ($150) dollars for Board of Health

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000) for Contingent Expenses.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars for Fire Department Expenses and 1906 balance of Salary account.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars ($1625) for Fire Department Salaries. That the Town pay 55 firemen twenty-five dollars ($25) each and 5 engineers fifty dollars ($50) each.

Voted, That the Town appropriate nine hundred and forty-four dollars and seventy-nine cents ($944.79) for Highways and Bridges. That the town use the Street Railway Tax for its Highway Department.

Voted, That the Town pay the Water Department ten dollars ($10) each for ninety-eight (98) Hydrants. That the Town appropriate the sum of nine hundred and eighty dollars ($980) for Hydrants.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) for interest on Cemetery Funds.

Voted, That the Town appropriate five hundred and sixty-six dollars and eleven cents ($566.11) for interest on Funded Debt.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two thousand six hundred and ninety dollars ($2690) for interest on Sewer Bonds.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of fourteen hundred dollars ($1400) for interest on School House Notes.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of seven hundred dollars ($700) for interest on Temporary Loans.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of eighty-one dollars and forty-two cents ($81.42) for interest on Library Notes.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars ($5000), the amount of the Loan for 1899.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) for Memorial Day.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for the Public Library.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars ($3600) for the Police Department.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars ($1,200.00) for its Police Department.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00) for Sidewalks and Crossings.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of seventeen thousand four hundred dollars ($17,400.) for Schools.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of six hundred dollars ($600.00) for ordinary repairs to School Buildings.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of nine hundred dollars ($900.00) for Soldiers' Relief.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of three thousand three hundred and sixty dollars ($3360.00) for Street Lighting.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand four hundred dollars ($1400.00) for Sewer Sinking Fund.

Voted, That the Town appropriate two thousand one hundred and ten dollars and twenty-five cents ($2110.25) for Town Officers' Salaries.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200.00) for Street Watering.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250) for Tree Warden.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for Town House.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand four hundred and twenty-one dollars and seventy-nine cents ($1421.79) for School House Repair Notes.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars ($1750) for School Loan, Act of 1906, Note.

Appropriations.

under the Warrant were made as follows:

Board of Health	$150.00
Cemeteries	200
Contingent	2,[illegible]
Fire Dept. Expenses & Bal. Salaries acct.	1,[illegible]
Fire Department Salaries	1,625.00
Gypsy Moth Extermination	200.00
Highways and Bridges. St. Railway Tax	944.79
Hydrants	980.00
Interest on Cemetery Funds	200.00
Interest on Funded Debt	566.11
Interest on Sewer Bonds	2,690.00
Interest on School House Note	1,400.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	700.00
Interest on Library Notes	81.42
Loan of 1899	5,000.00
Memorial Day	150.00
Public Library Dog Fund, Receipts and	1,000.00

Pauper Department	3,600.00
Police Department	1,200.00
Sidewalks and Crossings	500.00
Schools	17,400.00
School Doctor	100.00
Ordinary repairs to school buildings	400.00
Soldiers' Relief	900.00
Street Lighting	3,300.00
Sewer Sinking Fund	1,400.00
Salaries Town Officers	2,110.25
School House Repair Notes	1,421.79
School Loan, Act of 1906, Note	1,700.00
Street Watering	200.00
Tree Warden	200.00
Town House	1,000.00
	$54,679.36

Article 25. Voted, That the Town appropriate and grant the sum of fifty four thousand six hundred and seventy-nine dollars and thirty-six cents. ($54,679.36.)

(Voted, To close the polls at 4.30 o'clock P.M.)

27 Voted, That the Town authorize and instruct the Library trustees to expend for the completion of the Library building now in process of construction, a sum not exceeding two thousand ($2000.00) dollars in addition to the expenditure authorized therefor by vote of the town passed by the last annual meeting.

Voted, That in anticipation of additions that may hereafter be made to the "Library Building Fund" so called, the Treasurer of the Town with the consent and approval of a majority of the Selectmen be and

hereby is authorized to borrow a sum not to exceed eight thousand dollars, on notes of the town, designated Town of Westborough, "Library Building Fund" Notes, said notes to be of the denomination of $1000 each and to bear interest at a rate not to exceed five per centum per annum.

Article 7 Voted, That the Moderator appoint a committee of three to look up the present town by-laws and to report additional by-laws at a subsequent meeting. The following committee was appointed: J. W. Fairbanks, J. W. Slattery & M. H. Walker

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 3 o'clock P. M.

Attest Joseph S. Isaac

Town Clerk

Appointments for 1907.

1907. Mar. 20	Herbert C. Forbes,	Registrar of Voters, 3 yrs.
	Thomas H. Treadway,	Sealer of Weights and Measures.
#	William Wagner,	Chief of Police and Night Watch.
	John Dee,	Janitor Town Hall.
#	William H. Sullivan,	Superintendent of Streets.
#	Charles H. Reed,	Inspector of Animals.
	Eli Sawyer,	Burial Agent.
#	James H. Butler,	Special Police at Hospital.
#	Leslie G. Jones,	
#	Wm D. Atchison,	
#	Arthur J. Melindy,	
#	Melvin L. Stacy.	
#	P. C. Mooney,	Special Police
#	Michael J. Lyons,	
#	Eli Sanderson.	

1907
May 1 — James H. McDonald,
John P. Crowe,
James P. Brady,
Thomas H. Treadway,
Thomas H. Hackett } Fire Wardens and Engineers.

Frederick Pratt
E. E. Butterfield } Public Weighers.

1907
Aug. 10 # Chas. E. Giles. Field Driver.

Bd of Selectmen.

Westboro, Mass. May 29, 1907

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and insulating fixtures and wire as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wire shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

On Russell Street between Harrison Street and the residence of Thomas H. Treadway.

Signatures of Selectmen. { E. H. Reilly. E. A. Ford George H. Rogers

We hereby certify that on May 25, 1907, at 2 o'clock P.M. at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of the

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specifications hereby endorsed and that we mailed, at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

J. H. Reilly,
E. A. Ford
George H. Rogers.
Selectmen.

[illegible]

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the [illegible] day of September 1907 at 7.45 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator.

" 2 To see if the town will appropriate $300. for the suppression of the Gypsy and brown-tail moths, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 3 To see if the town will appropriate $500. for general repairs on the town hall, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 4 To see if the town will appropriate $1000. for the construction of a new bridge across the Assabet River on Belmont Street, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 5 To see if the town will adopt any ordinance or by law for the licensing of dealers in [illegible], old metal, bottles, rags, rubbers, etc, or act anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to [illegible] posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

[illegible] Warrant, with your doings thereon, to [illegible] the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-third day of September in the year of our Lord Nineteen hundred and seven

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Selectmen
of
Westborough.

Worcester S.S.

Westboro, September 23rd, 1907

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Magner
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
September 30, 1907

Meeting called to order at 7.45 P. M. by Town Clerk, U. S. Bates, who read the warrant.

Voted [illegible]

Voted, That the sum of three hundred dollars ($300) for the suppression of gypsy and brown-tail moths.

Voted. To pass over.

Voted. To refer the matter to the Selectmen for action.

Voted. To adopt the following By-Law.

[illegible]

By-law

Relating to Junk Dealers, Junk Collectors and Dealers in Second-Hand Articles.

Sec. 1 That the Selectmen may license suitable persons to be dealers in, collectors of and keepers of shops for the purchase, sale or barter of junk, old metals or second-hand articles subject to the provisions of Sections 37 to 32 inclusive of Chapter 102 of the Revised Laws and Acts supplementary and amendatory thereof; and may revoke such license at pleasure.

2. That every shop keeper shall keep a book in which shall be written, at the time of every [illegible] thereof, the name, age and residence of the person from whom, and the day and hour when such purchase is made; that such book shall, at all times, be open to the inspection of the Selectmen, constables, and police officers of the town; that every keeper of such shop shall put, in some suitable and conspicuous place on his shop, a sign having his name and occupation legibly inscribed thereon in large letters; that such shop and all articles of merchandize therein and any place, vehicle, or receptacle for the collection or keeping of the articles [illegible]

date of its purchase or receipt has elapsed.

" 3 That every vehicle which shall be used in town for or in the collection of junk, old metals, or second-hand articles shall have placed upon the outside and upon each side of the same the name of the licensee the number of the license in plain, legible letters and figures of not less than [illegible] so that the same may be distinctly seen and read; and any person owning, having the care or driving any such vehicle, shall [illegible] in plain, legible figures of not less than one inch in length.

" 4 That every person who collects junk, old metals, or second-hand articles without a vehicle, shall wear a [illegible] with the number of his license thereon in plain, [illegible] inch in length.

" 5 That whoever not being so licensed, keeps [illegible] town or being licensed keeps such shop is such dealer or collector in any other place or manner than that designated in his license or after notice to him that his license has been revoked, shall forfeit Twenty Dollars for each offence; and whoever violates any rule, regulation or restriction contained in his license shall forfeit a sum not exceeding Twenty Dollars for each offence. (see page 356)

Voted, That the meeting dissolve at 9 P. M.

Attest:

Joseph S. Yale
Town Clerk

In Board of Selectmen
Westboro, Massachusetts, Nov. 6, 1907.

Voted: That The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above refered to;

On East Main Street between Belmont Street and the residence of Annie L. Fay.

Signatures of Selectmen { F. F. Field, E. A. Lord.

This permit and the endorsement thereon is recorded in the Records of the Town of Westborough Book 8, Page 369.

We hereby certify that on Oct. 26, 1907, at 2 o'clock P. M., at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated on the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed, at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

T. F. Reilly.
E. A. Ford.
Selectmen.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Tuesday the Fifth day of November 1918, at 6 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1 To bring in on one ballot their votes for the following State and County officers.

Governor
Lieutenant-Governor
Secretary of State
Treasurer
Auditor
Attorney-General
Councillor for the 7th Councillor District
Senator for the 4th Worcester District
Two Representatives in the General Court for the 10th Worcester District
Sheriff
District Attorney
County Commissioners and Fire Districts Commissioners
Amendment to Constitution

The polls shall remain open until four o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty eighth day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seven

T. H. Reilly } Selectmen
E. A. Lord } of
George H. Rogers } Westborough.

Worcester, SS.
Westboro, Oct. 28th 1907

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Magner
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass. Nov. 5, 1907

In pursuance with the foregoing Warrant the Inhabitants qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in the Town Hall and were called to order at 6 o'clock in the forenoon by Thomas H. Reilly Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who proceeded to read the Warrant.

W. H. Stanford, J. B. Putnam,
J. R. J. W. Fay, Wm. Halloran,

Ballot Clerks were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. The ballots were delivered to the presiding officer who gave his receipt therefor to the Town Clerk.

The Ballot Box was examined in the presence of the voters, found empty, was locked and the keys were given to Constable, John F. Nash.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness the voting began.

O. M. Robinson, George F. Ewell,
F. J. Hannon, E. E. Thomas,
J. F. Sullivan, J. W. Brittan,
J. F. Hogan, John Mathews,

were duly sworn as Tellers by the Town Clerk.

It was unanimously voted by the Election Officers and Town Clerk to open the ballot box at 8.40 A.M.

At 8.40 A.M. the ballot box was opened and two hundred and twenty-four (224) ballots taken
224 therefrom.

At 10.30 A.M. the ballot box was opened and one hundred and three (103) ballots taken there-
327 from.

At 11.30 A.M. the ballot box was opened and
402 seventy five (75) ballots taken therefrom.

At 2 P.M. the ballot box was opened and one hundred and sixty-seven (167) ballots
569 taken therefrom.

At 3 P.M. the ballot box was opened and
605 thirty-six (36) ballots taken therefrom.

At 4:30 P.M. the ballot box was opened and
654 forty-nine (49) ballots taken therefrom.

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked, and the keys given to the Constable.

The presiding officer announced that six hundred and fifty-four (654) ballots had been distributed and six hundred and fifty-four (654) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was (654)

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared and read by the presiding officer at 5.20 o'clock P.M. as follows.

For Governor

Charles W. Bartlett of Newton had eight	8
Thomas F. Brennan of Salem had six	6
John W. Brown of Worcester had five	5
Hervey [illegible] of Ashburnham had eight	8
Curtis Guild, Jr. of Boston had four hundred and five	405
Thomas L. Hisgen of West Springfield had one hundred and forty	140
T. H. Reilly of Westborough had one	1
Henry M. Whitney of Brookline (Democratic) had forty-eight	48
Henry M. Whitney of Brookline (Independent Citizens') had six	6
Henry M. Whitney of Brookline (Democratic Citizens' Com. Paper) had nine	9
Blanks	18

For Lieutenant Governor.

E. Gerry Brown of Brockton had one hundred and forty-two	142
John T. Cahill of Lawrence had four	4
Eben S. Draper of Hopedale had three hundred and seventy-three	373
Walter J. Hoar of Worcester had eleven	11
Robert Lawrance of Clinton had five	5
Jonathan T. Lewis of Stoneham had nine	9
T. H. Reilly of Westborough had one	1
George A. Schofield of Ipswich had seventy-four	74
Blanks	35

For Secretary.

Solon W. Bingham of Newton had seven	7
Odilon J. E. Charest of Holyoke had sixty-five	65
John Hall Jr. of Chicopee had eleven	11
William M. Olin of Boston had four hundred and twenty-one	421
T. H. Reilly of Westborough had one	1
Arthur E. Reimer of Boston had two	2
Dennis J. Ring of Lowell had seventy-three	73
Blanks	74

For Treasurer

Albert Barnes of Fall River had ten.	10
Edward J. Cantwell of Fall River had sixty-four	64
Arthur B. Chapin of Holyoke had four hundred and twelve	412
William P. Connery of Lynn had one	1
Daniel F. Doherty of Westfield had seventy-six	76
Charles C. Hitchcock of Ware had three	3
Edward Kendall of Cambridge had sixteen	16
Blanks	72

For Auditor.

Joao Claudino of New Bedford had six	6
Joseph A. Conry of Boston had sixty-eight	68
Thomas E. Finnerty of Clinton had sixty-five	65
George G. Hall of Boston had twelve	12
James F. Pease of Merrimac had twelve	12
Henry E. Turner of Malden had four hundred and eleven	411
Blanks	80

For Attorney-General.

Allen Coffin of Nantucket had twelve 12

Dana Malone of Greenfield had three hundred and ninety-seven 397

Thomas Mathews of Westborough had one 1

John McCarty of Alington had thirteen 13

James P. McConnell of Boston had eighty-two 82

William [illegible] of Lowell had seventy-four 74

Harvey F. Pratt of Scituate had six 6

Gilbert G. Smith of Lawrence had three 3

Blanks 66

For Councillor - Seventh District

Joseph P. Love of Webster had one hundred and sixteen 116

Calvin D. Paige of Southbridge had four hundred and twenty-seven 427

Blanks 111

For Senator - Fourth Worcester District

Christopher D. Allen of Milford had fourteen 14

William F. Haggerty of Webster had one hundred and forty-six 146

Winfield S. Schuster of Douglas had four hundred and fifteen 415

Blanks [illegible]

For Representatives in General Court.

Henry G. Burke of Clinton had eight 8

William F. Dietzman of Clinton had sixty-two 62

Joseph S. Gates of Westborough had four hundred and thirty-six 436

Gustave C. Kiesling of Clinton had six 6

Charles Mayberry of Clinton had three hundred and eighty-one 381

Peter F. O'Malley of Clinton had sixty-three 63

Thomas H. Reilly of Westborough had one hundred and sixty-two 162

Blanks 1[illegible]0

For County Commissioner- Worcester.

George N. Cook of Barre had four hundred and twenty-eight 428

Francois X. Tetrault of Southbridge had one hundred and two 102

Blanks 124

For Associate Commissioners – Worcester.

George P. Cooke of Milford had one hundred and six 106

S. Augustus Howe of Gardner had four hundred and five 405

George E. Morse of Hubbardston had ninety-two 92

George F. Morse of Leominster had three hundred and fifty-four 354

Blanks 351

For District Attorney - Middle District.

George E. O'Toole of Clinton had one hundred and eighteen 118

George S. Taft of Uxbridge had four hundred and sixty-two 462

Blanks 74

For Sheriff – Worcester County.

Robert F. Shumway of Worcester had four hundred and thirty-eight 438

James Fisher of Uxbridge had one hundred and thirty-two 132

Blanks 84

Shall the proposed amendment to the constitution authorizing the governor, with the consent of the council, to remove justices of the peace and notaries public be approved and ratified?

Yes had three hundred and sixteen 316

No had fifty-two 52

Blanks 286

After the declaration of the result of the voting, the ballots used and unused together with the check lists were sealed and attested by the Election Officers and delivered to the Town Clerk in accordance with the statutes.

The presiding officer accordingly declared the meeting dissolved.

Attest

Joseph S Gates
Town Clerk

In Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Mass., Nov. 27, 1907.

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway after the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

On Cross Road from Bowman Street at School House, to Ruggles Street; Ruggles Street from Cross Road at Ruggles Street to the residence of L. A. Ferguson.

Bowman Street from Cross Road at School House to the residence of O. C. Paine.

O. H. Reilly } Signatures of
E. A. Lord } Selectmen.
[illegible]

We hereby certify that on Nov. 23, 1907 at 2 P.M. o'clock at Town Hall a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company a Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed, at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said company under said specification.

T. F. Reilly
E. A. Judd
George H. Rogers
Selectmen.

Commonwealth of

Statement of Votes for Representatives to

Names of Candidates	Residence	Berlin	Bolton
Henry G. Burke	Clinton		
William F. Dietzman	"	7	[illegible]
Joseph N. Yates	Westborough	11	16
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Charles Mayberry	"	77	13
Peter F. O'Malley	"	2	2
Thomas F. Reilly	Westborough	5	2
Lyman Leighton	Clinton		
W. G. Potter	Northboro		
Scattering		36	30
Total		214	152

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the ... that the above is a true statement of the votes of ... Representatives to the General Court, made to us by ...

Clinton, Mass., Nov. 15, 1907.

Massachusetts
General Court, Tenth Worcester District

Boylston	Clinton	Northboro	Southboro	Westboro	West Boylston	[illegible]
1	132	4	1	8		[illegible]
6	783	29	34	62	14	[illegible]
51	716	168	124	436	66	[illegible]
	96	1	2	6		[illegible]
53	816	160	119	381	67	[illegible]
2	403	14[illegible]	20	63	7	[illegible]
2	4[illegible]1	[illegible]	[illegible]4	1[illegible]2	1[illegible]	[illegible]
	1					1
		1				1
27	560	76	94	190	33	[illegible]46
142	3938	488	4[illegible]8	1308	200	[illegible]

Tenth Representative District of Worcester County, certify votes cast on the fifth (5th) day of November 1907, for [illegible] the Selectmen of the Towns in said District.

Frank H. Crossman, Town Clerk of Berlin.
Amary S. Haynes, Town Clerk of Bolton.
George L. Wright, Town Clerk of Boylston.
James H. Carr, Town Clerk of Clinton.
Francis M. Harrington, Town Clerk of Northboro.
Chas. H. Newton, Town Clerk of Southboro.
Joseph [illegible] Gates, Town Clerk of Westboro.
William T. Holmes, Town Clerk of West Boylston.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Westborough on Monday the Twenty-seventh day of March next at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator.

" 2 To hear and act upon the reports of officers and committees of the town.

" 3 To see if the town will vote to appropriate money for Schools and School Buildings for the current fiscal year or act anything in relation to the same.

" 4 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to sell the real estate of John McCarty on Pine Street or act anything in relation to the same.

" 5 To see if the town will vote that portion of the Town Hall Building now occupied by the Town Library, in a suitable manner to the meetings of Post 80 Grand Army of the Republic and grant the free use of the same to said Post for such purposes, or act anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-

Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this Eighteenth day of December in the year of our Lord Nineteen hundred and seven.

[illegible] } Selectmen
[illegible] } of
George [illegible] } Westborough.

Worcester SS.

Westboro, Dec. 20th, 1907.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

[illegible]
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
December 27th, 1907

Meeting called to order at 7-30 P.M. by Town Clerk [illegible], who read the warrant.

Under

Article 1 [illegible] was chosen Moderator.

" 2 The Appropriation Committee reported.
They recommended an appropriation of eight hundred and four dollars and forty-nine cents ($804.49) for Schools, and three hundred and nine dollars and eighteen cents ($309.18) for School Buildings.

" 3 Voted That the Town appropriate eight hundred and four dollars and forty-nine cents

($804.49) for Schools and three hundred and nine dollars and eighteen cents ($309.18) for School Buildings.

Article 4 Voted, To refer the matter to the Board of Overseers of the Poor.

" 5 Voted, That a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to take into consideration the subject matter of this article, to ascertain the probable expense of arranging the rooms for the use of the organizations named, and report their findings at the next March meeting.

Committee appointed:

J. W. Fairbanks, John J. Walker George L. Smith

Voted, That the meeting dissolve at 8.10 P.M.

Attest Joseph S. Gates Town Clerk

In Board of Selectmen

Westboro, Massachusetts, [illegible]

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles and in the

height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Chestnut Street between West Main Street and the residence of W. H. Garner.

Signatures of Selectmen { T. H. Reilly
E. A. Lord
George F. Rogers.

We hereby certify that on Dec. 28, 1907 at two o'clock P.M. at the Selectmen's office a public hearing was held on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed, at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

T. H. Reilly
E. A. Lord
George F. Rogers
Selectmen.

[illegible], [illegible], [illegible] 13 1907.

[illegible] the town [illegible] etc., as follows:

Section 1.

Section 3.

Section 4.

Section 2, except the words "constables and police officers of the town", in line 6, and except the words "constables and police officers of the town", in line 12.

I do not approve:

Section 5.

[illegible] "constables and police officers of the town" in section 2, line 6.

[illegible] "constables and police officers of the town" in section 2, line 12.

[illegible],

Attorney-General.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the second day of March 1908 at 6.30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year beginning January 1908, in anticipation of the collection of Taxes of said year such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for said year, giving the notes of the town therefor, payable within one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

" 3 To see if the town will appoint a committee to consider appropriations for the ensuing year, and report at an adjourned meeting.

" 4 To bring in on one ballot their votes for the following officers: Town Clerk, three Selectmen, three Assessors, one for one year, one for two years, one for three years, Collector of Taxes, one Overseer of the Poor, Auditor, three members of the School Committee, one member of the Board of Health, three Trustees of the Public Library, nine Constables, one Trustee of the Cemetery, one Water Commissioner for three

years, one Sewer Commissioner for three years, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, Three Wardens, and vote "Yes" or "No" on the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

Article 5 To choose all other necessary town officers.

" 6 To hear and act on the reports of the various town officers.

" 7 To hear and act on the reports of any outstanding committees.

" 8. To see if the town accept the list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen.

" 9 To see if the town will instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a superintendent for both departments

" 10 To see if the town will print its warrants and the action taken thereon in the annual town officers' report.

" 11 To see if the town will print its Valuation and Tax Lists.

" 12. To see what disposition the town will make of its Dog Fund.

" 13 To see if the town will maintain a night watch.

" 14 To see if the town refund the whole or any part of its Existing Debt.

" 15 To see if the town will vote to appropriate any sum of money to be expended by the School

Committee in carrying out the provisions of Chapter 502, Acts of 1906.

Article 16 To see if the town will light its streets by Electricity, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 17 To see if the town will place an Electric Light at or near the junction of Brigham and Green streets, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 18 To see if the town will place an Electric Light on Summer Street, on the north side of the Boston and Albany R. R., or act anything in relation to the same.

" 19 To see if the town will vote to accept the Real Estate of John Mc Carty on Pine Street, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 20 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to sell the Real Estate of John Mc Carty on Pine Street, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 21 To see if the town will appropriate money for the purpose of carrying on the work of destroying the Gypsy and Brown tail moths, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 22 To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to treat the road on East Main Street under the Boston and Albany Rail Road Bridge in the manner recommended by the State Highway Commissioners, or act anything in relation to the same

" 33 To see if the town will arrange that portion of the town hall building now occupied by the town library, in a suitable manner for the meeting of the

Grand Army of the Republic and grant the free use of the same to said Grand Army Post and its Auxiliary organization, the Women's Relief Corps, or act anything in relation to the same.

Article 24 To see if the town will vote to elect a Moderator annually to preside at all town meetings, except those of the Election of State Officers, in accordance with the provisions of Section 359 of Chapter 560 of the Acts of 1917 or act anything in relation to the same.

" 25 To see if the town will fix the Salaries of its Town Officers for the current year, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 26 To see if the town will appropriate money for a new bridge on Belmont Street across the Assabet River, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 27 To see if the town will appropriate a necessary sum of money to repair the Town Hall, so that it will comply with the State Law making it available for public use, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 28 To see if the town will appropriate money for the Fire Department Salaries and fix the same for the coming year.

To see what sums the town will appropriate for its Fire Department Incidentals, for the Town Hall, for the care of its Highways and Bridges, for its Poor Department, for its Contingent Expenses, for its Public Library, for the care of its Cemeteries, for its Health Department, and for the support of its Public Schools; also for its Police Department, for Salaries of Town Officers, for Street Lighting by Electricity, for the use of Hydrants, for Memorial Day, for Sewer Maintenance, for Sewer Sinking Fund, for

Water Sinking Fund, for Sidewalks and Crossings, for Soldiers' Relief, for Military Aid, for Tree Warden, for the Board of Health, and for Street Watering.

Article 29 To see if the town will appropriate money for current expenses and grant an amount sufficient to cover all appropriations made under this warrant.

" 30 To see if the town will permit the Trustees of the Public Library to supply the new building with suitable furniture and equipments to fit it for occupancy without expense to the town.

" 31 To see if the town will authorize its Trustees to install its Public Library in the new building, whenever they shall consider it expedient so to do.

" 32 To see if the town will authorize the Water Commissioners to build a roadway and over flow conduit at Sandra pond or act anything thereon.

" 33 To see if the town will authorize the Water Commissioners to install a system of under ground filtration for the purpose of improving the water supply or act anything thereon.

" 34. To see if the town will issue bonds to an amount not exceeding Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) or temporary notes not to exceed that amount to cover improvements to Sandra pond and the filtration system as recommended by the Water Commissioners, or act anything thereon.

" 35 To see if the polls shall remain open until three o'clock on the afternoon, at which hour the time for closing may be fixed by vote.

" 36 To see if the town will direct the Selectmen to immediately place the painting of Abraham Lincoln

now in the town hall, in the new public library building, or act anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-fourth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eight.

T. F. Reilly
E. A. Lord
George H. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester SS.

Westboro February 24, 1908.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

John P. Crowe
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
Mar. 2, 1908.

In pursuance with the foregoing warrant the inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in the Town Hall, and at 6.30 o'clock A. M. were called to order by the Town Clerk, who proceeded to read the warrant, and under

Article 1 Warren P. Jackson was elected Moderator.

" 2. Voted, That the Treasurer be, and hereby is authorized with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow during the municipal year beginning Jan. 1, 1908, in anticipation of the collection of the taxes, the sum of forty thousand dollars, giving notes of the town therefor, payable within one year after the date thereof. All debts incurred under the authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

" 3b Voted, To instruct the Selectmen to immediately place the painting of Abraham Lincoln in the new Public Library.

" 3 Voted, That the Moderator appoint a Standing Committee on Finance consisting of seven members to serve until and including the next annual March Meeting, to whom shall be referred for consideration and report all matters calling for appropriations by the town. The committee chosen was as follows: John [illegible], [illegible] F. Chapin, M. J. Linnane, A. H. Goodell, Walter C. Metcalf, Thomas H. Hackett and Louis Fairbanks.

" 4 Voted, That the Town proceed to bring in on one ballot the following officers, viz: Town Clerk, three Selectmen, one Assessor for one year, one

Assessor for two years, one Assessor for three years, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, one Overseer of the Poor for three years, Auditor, three members of the School Committee for three years, one member of the Board of Health for three years, three Trustees of the Public Library for three years, nine Constables, one Trustee of the Cemeteries for five years, one Water Commissioner for three years, one Sewer Commissioner for three years, one Sinking Fund Commissioner for three years, Tree Warden, and to vote "Yes" or "No" on the question "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

Ballot Clerks: J. F. J. W. Fay and Wm. Fallon.

Tellers: James F. Sullivan, A. L. Jones, John W. Brittan, J. F. Fogan, John Mathews, E. E. Thomas, Frank L. Tenney, C. M. Robinson, and Tellers in charge of Check Lists Geo. Ewell and G. B. Putnam. Constable, Dexter Brigham.

Received from Town Clerk J. S. Gates eleven hundred (1100) Official Ballots and seventy (70) Women's Ballots

Warren P. Jackson

Moderator.

The Ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found and declared empty, was locked and the keys given to Constable Dexter Brigham.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness, the voting began.

It was unanimously voted by the Moderator, Town Clerk and Electors, to open the ballot box at 9.05 A. M. and as many times thereafter as necessary for the purpose of taking ballots therefrom to facilitate counting votes cast.

369 At 9.05 A. M. the ballot box was opened and three hundred sixty-nine (369) ballots taken therefrom.

577 At 11.20 A.M. the ballot box was opened and two hundred and ten (210) ballots taken therefrom.

867 At 2.50 P.M. the ballot box was opened and two hundred and ninety (290) ballots taken therefrom.

Voted 35 Voted, To close the polls at 4.30 P.M.

Voted, That when the meeting is adjourned, it be adjourned to March 16, 1908, at 9 o'clock A.M.

882 At 4.30 P.M. the ballot box was opened and thirteen (13) ballots taken therefrom, also eight (8) ballots (women) 8 cast by women for School Committee.

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked and the keys given to the constable.

The Moderator announced that eight hundred and eighty-two ballots had been distributed and eight hundred and eighty-two (882) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day.

The total number of ballots cast was 882.

After the ballots had been counted, the result was declared at 6.40 P.M., as follows:

Town Officers.

Town Clerk.

\# Joseph D. Gates had six hundred and one votes 601
Blanks had two hundred and eighty-one votes 281

Selectmen

Everett A. Kidd had six hundred and ninety eight votes 698

Thomas J. Reilly had six hundred and eighteen votes 618

George F. Rogers had six hundred and twenty-seven votes 627

Blanks had six hundred and fifty-two votes 652

Scattering had fifty-one votes 51

Assessor, 3 Years,

Daniel P. Day had six hundred and twenty-six votes 626

Blanks had two hundred and fifty-two votes 252

Scattering had four votes 4

Assessor, 2 Years,

Henry L. Chase had five hundred and ninety-nine votes 599

Blanks had two hundred and fifty-one votes 251

Scattering had two votes 2

Assessor, 1 Year,

Fred P. Rogers had six hundred and thirteen votes 613

Blanks had two hundred and sixty-six votes 266

Scattering had three votes 3

Treasurer

Fred H. Kimball had six hundred and twenty-five votes 625

Blanks had two hundred and fifty-seven votes 257

Collector of Taxes

Joseph A. Yates had six hundred and twenty-six votes 626

Blanks had two hundred and fifty-four votes 254

Scattering had two votes 2

Overseer of Poor, 3 Years,

William F. Sanford had six hundred and eighteen votes 618

Blanks had two hundred and sixty-three votes 263

Scattering had one vote 1

Auditor,

Lawrence F. Tales had six hundred and eight votes 608

Blanks had two hundred and seventy four votes 274

School Committee, 3 Years,

Theodore F. Chapin had four hundred and forty-eight votes 448

Daniel P. Cilley had three hundred and ninety-seven votes 397

Warren P. Jackson had six hundred and twenty-two votes 622

Melvin F. Walker had five hundred and forty-six votes 546

Blanks had six hundred and fifty-six votes 656

Scattering had one vote 1

Board of Health, 3 Years,

Charles A. Knight had six hundred six votes 606

Blanks had two hundred seventy-four votes 274

Scattering had two votes 2

Trustees of Public Library, 3 Years,

Abe F. Judd had five hundred and forty-eight votes 548

Louise A. Kelley had five hundred and forty-one votes 541

Thomas F. Reilly had five hundred and forty-eight votes 548

Blanks had one thousand and five votes 1005

Scattering had four votes 4

Constables

Dexter P. Brigham had five hundred and eighty votes 580

John P. Crowe had five hundred and seventy-six votes 576

John Dee had five hundred and sixty-seven votes 567

John Ford had five hundred and fifty-eight votes 558

William Wagner had five hundred and eighty-four votes 584

James H. Mc Donald had five hundred and seventy-four votes 574

Henry T. Mooney had five hundred and fifty votes 550

John F. Nash had five hundred and sixty-nine votes 569

William H. Sullivan had five hundred and sixty-eight votes 568

Blanks had two thousand seven hundred and eighty-six votes 2786

Scattering had twenty-six votes 26

Trustee of Cemeteries, 5 Years,

George G. Genthner had five hundred and six votes 506

Blanks had three hundred and seventy-one votes 371

Scattering had five votes 5

Water Commissioner, 3 Years

George G. Genthner had four hundred and ninety-four votes 494

Blanks had three hundred and eighty-three votes 383

Scattering had five votes 5

Tree Commissioner, 3 Years,

George G. Genthner had four hundred and eighty-two votes 482
Blanks had three hundred and ninety-five votes 395
Scattering had five votes 5

Sinking Fund Commissioner, 3 Years,

John L. Brigham had five hundred and eighty-two votes 582
Blanks had three hundred votes 300

Tree Warden,

Charles L. Henry had five hundred and fifty-five votes 555
Blanks had three hundred and twenty-five votes 325
Scattering had two votes 2

License

Yes had four hundred and thirty-five votes 435
No had four hundred and thirty-one votes 431
Blanks had sixteen votes 16

The ballots used and unused, together with the check lists were sealed, attested by the election officers, and delivered to the Town Clerk as the law directs.

Adjourned to Monday, March 16, 1908, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

Westborough, Mass., March 16, 1908.

Town assembled per adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator.

Article 5 Under this article, officers were chosen as follows:

Fence Viewers

John T. Johnson James S. Putnam

John W. Slattery

Measurers of Wood.

Harry W. Kimball # Nathan M. Knowlton

John S. Mason

Surveyors of Lumber

Harry W. Kimball # Nathan M. Knowlton

John S. Mason

Public Weighers

Everett E. Butterfield # Frederick C. Pratt

Frederick W. Kimball

" 6 Voted, To accept the printed report of the Auditor and Town Officers.

" 7 The Appropriation Committee reported in print. Voted, To accept their report.

The Committee appointed under Article 5 at a meeting of the Town held December 21, 1903, to take in consideration the matter of arranging the rooms in the town hall building, now occupied by the town library, for the use of Post 80 Grand Army of the Republic, beg leave to report that we have had estimates made by contractors of the probable expense of properly preparing said rooms for the Post and find the amount to be about $300.

We therefore respectfully recommend that the town arrange that portion of the town hall building

now occupied by the town library, in a suitable manner for the meeting of Post 80 Grand Army of the Republic and grant the free use of the same to said Grand Army Post and its auxiliary organization, the Women's Relief Corps, and that the sum of $300. be appropriated for the same.

The Committee to whom was referred the matter of increased pressure to our water works for fire purposes, submit the following report.

We have carefully considered three (3) plans.

First. The building of a Reservoir above the present one: the cost would almost be prohibitive, and even when completed, it is doubtful if a constant pressure would be maintained, which should be at least 110 lbs. per sqr. inch.

Second. The building of a Stand Pipe: the top to be 140 feet above the high water level of our reservoir, filling by electric pump, power to be furnished by the Westboro Gas and Power Co:

After consulting one of the best authorities in the State in such matters, Mr. George Stacy, Supt of the Marlboro Water Dept., we found that the cost of building was great, and that at least it would be out of use three (3) days in each year while drying and painting the inside.

Third. Placing a Relay Pump near No. 4 School House pumps to be of three (3) or more cylinders 12" x 12"; power supplied by gas engines of 100 to 125 H. P.

Three or more cylinders are recommended to reduce the pounding in the water pipes.

The cost of one unit including building is about $11,000.

Respectfully submitted.
Geo. S. Smith.
James H. McDonald
Thomas F. Treadway.

Article 8 Voted, To accept the list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen, except the names of William E. James, George W. Marsh, Charles E. Rogers and George L. Smith.

Allaire, Charles,
Archer, James,
Babcock, Erving W.,
Bates, Samuel A.,
Boland, James H.,
Bombard, Moses E.,
Bowman, Charles H.,
Brady, James H.,
Braley, Frank G.,
Brown, Joseph H.,
Burhoe, R. Franklin,
Buxton, Arthur H.,
Carroll, Thomas,
Casey, John W.,
Chase, Lot F.,
Cheeney, William
Coggins, Clarence H.,
Comiskey, Mathew,
Coolidge, Victor,
Cox, Robert T.,
Craffey, John F.,
Crowe, John P.,
Daniels, Richard E.,
Devin, James,
Ewell, George,
Fairbanks, W. H.,
Falkner, Frank A.,
Ferguson, George A.,
Forbes, Curtis A.,
Forbes, Herbert C.,
Frost, William B.,
Galvin, Michael,
Gates, Joseph S.,
Gauthier, Alexander,
Gilmore, Edward T.,
Goodell, David H.,
Graves, E. Ellsworth,
Graves, Willard,
Green, Henry D.,
Hackett, Frank H.,
Hackett, Thomas H.,
Halloran, William J.,
Hannon, Frank,
Harvey, Arthur B.,
Hayden, J. F.,
Hero, Butler W.,
Humphrey, Thomas W.,
Hayden, Timothy J.,
Jackson, George J.,
Johnson, John T.,
Jourdan, Walter B.,
Kane, Michael J.,
Keaney, Charles H.,
Kelly, James A.,
Knowlton, Nathan M.,
Lamb, Frank C.,
Lawton, James C.,
Lebeau, Foster A.,
Leonard, Charles L.
Linnane, Michael J.,
Marshall, Oscar A.,
Marshall, Charles S.,
Mathews, John,
McDonald, Arthur L.,
McKendry, Geo. A.,
McNeil, Joseph,
McTaggart, Walter,
Meighan, Owen J.,
Miller, John B.,
Mooney, Patrick C.,
Moore, John R.,
Murphy, Dennis H.,

Nash, John F.,
Newcomb, Edward B.,
Nichols, Herbert H.,
O'Brien, Thomas,
Parker, Frederick J.,
Parker, Edmund,
Pennuman, William C.,
Perrin, Geo. H.,
Piper, Henry M.
Poskett, Thomas W.,
Pratt, Frederick A.,
Putnam, Almon H.,
Ray, Michael J.,
Reilly, Joseph F.,
Greene, William F.,
Roach, John F.,
Robinson, James D.,
Robinson, Ezra M.,
Rockwood, Benjamin,
Rogers, Frederick E.,
Sampson, Asa A.,
Sanford, N. A.,
Sanford, N. H.,
Sargent, Samuel O.,
Sheehan, John J.,
Shirley, William C.,
Store, Frank A.,
Sullivan, William H.,
Tewksbury, Geo. M.,
Treadway, Thomas H.,
Tufts, A. O.,
Turner, Edward,
Vose, John,
Walker, Edward E.,
Walker, Irving E.,
Walker, M. F.,
Warren, Waldo H.,
Whittaker, Warren F.,
Wilson, Albert P.,
Winter, Frank H.,

Article 9 | Voted, That the town instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ one Superintendent for both departments.

" 10 | Voted, To print Warrants and the action taken thereon in the annual town officers' report.

" 11 | Voted, To print the Valuation and Tax List.

" 12 | Voted, That the Dog Fund be given to the Town Library.

" 13 | Voted, that the town maintain a Night Watch.

" 14 | Voted, To pass over.

Article 15 Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars($100) to be expended by the School Committee in carrying out the provisions of Chapter 502, Acts of 1906.

" 16 Voted, That the town light its streets by electricity and that the amount expended shall not exceed three thousand three hundred and sixty dollars($3360).

" 17 Voted, to refer the matter to the Selectmen.

" 18 Voted, To refer the matter to the Selectmen.

" 19 Voted, To accept the Real Estate of John Mc Carty on Pine Street described in deed.

Copy of Deed.

Know all men by these presents.
that I, John Mc Carty of Westborough in the County of Worcester and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in consideration of One Dollar and other valuable considerations to me paid by The Town of Westborough in said County the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do hereby remise, release, and forever quitclaim unto the said Town of Westborough a certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Pine street in said Westborough, and bounded beginning at the northwesterly corner of the granted premises on said street at land of Mc Namara, thence, easterly by said Pine street thirteen rods and sixteen links to land of Casey: thence, southerly by said Casey land by the westerly side of a ditch about nine rods to a stake: thence, westerly by the southern side of a ditch eight rods and twenty-one links to a pine stump; thence, S. 88° W. five rods and four links to said Mc Namara land; thence N. 13¼° W. by said Mc Namara land six rods and four links to the first of beginning. For title, see deeds recorded with Worcester

District Deeds book 681 page 252 and book 721 page 624.

To have and to hold the granted premises, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging to the said Town of Westborough and its successors and assigns, to their own use and behoof forever.

And I do hereby, for myself and my heirs, executors and administrators, covenant with the said grantee and its successors and assigns that the granted premises are free from all incumbrances made or suffered by me except taxes, and that I will and my heirs, executors, and administrators shall warrant and defend the same to the said grantee and its successors and assigns forever against the lawful claims and demands of all persons claiming by, through, or under me except as aforesaid but against none other.

In witness whereof I the said John McCarty being a widower hereunto set my hand and seal this fifteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

Signed, sealed and delivered
in presence of
Sarah M. Lyons.
A. P. Wilson

John his X mark McCarty.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss. January 15th, 1906. Then personally appeared the above-named John McCarty and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed, before me -

Albert P. Wilson
Justice of the Peace

Worcester ss. Jan. 16, 1906, at 9h. 18m A. M. Received and entered with Worcester District Deeds, book 1821 page 347.

Attest:

Lottie M. Hubbard Asst.
Register.

Article 20 Voted, That the town authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer, to sell to John A. Mc Causland of Westborough Mass, the real estate situated on Pine Street in this town, recently conveyed by John Mc Carty to the town of Westborough and to convey the said real estate to the said John A. Mc Causland by a good and sufficient Quitclaim Deed.

" 21 Voted, To appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300) for the purpose of destroying the gypsy and brown tail moths.

" 22 Voted, To pass over.

" 23 Voted, To lay on the table.

" 24 Voted, That the town elect a Moderator annually to preside at all town meetings, except those of the election of State Officers in accordance with the provisions of Section 359 of Chapter 560 of the Acts of 1907.

" 25 Voted, That the Salaries of the Town Officers be the same as in 1907.

" 26 Voted, To pass over.

" 27 Voted, That the matter of repairing and maintaining the Town Hall be referred to a committee of seven, including the Selectmen, to be appointed by the Moderator; said committee to report at a future meeting. Committee J. F. Reiley, E. A. Ford, George H. Rogers, M. F. Walker, B. S. Gathaway, Henry R. Gilmore and George Genthner.

" 28 Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand six hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents ($1612.50) for Fire Department Salaries. That the town pay 55 firemen twenty-five dollars ($25) each and five engineers fifty dollars ($50) each.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for Fire Department Expenses.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for Town House.

Voted, That the town appropriate two hundred and twelve dollars and eighty-three cents ($212.83) for Highways and Bridges.
That the town use the street railway tax, three thousand eight hundred and ninety-two dollars and six cents ($3,892.06) and balance from State Highway, eight hundred and ninety-five dollars and eleven cents ($895.11) for its Highway Department.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars ($3500) for its Pauper Department.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000) for Contingent Expenses.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) and the Dog Fund for the Public Library.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) and receipts for its Cemeteries.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of three hundred ninety eight dollars and sixty three cents ($398.63) for Board of Health.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of eighteen thousand five hundred dollars ($18,500.) for Schools.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of six hundred dollars ($600) for repairs to School Buildings.

Voted, That the town expend not more than two thousand four hundred and forty dollars ($2,440.) for permanent improvements to School Buildings.

Voted, To appropriate two hundred fifty-eight dollars and twenty cents ($258.20) and to Transfer one hundred forty-one dollars and eighty cents ($141.80) the balance from School House Plans, for Special School Officers, for better protection in case of fire.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars ($1200) for its Police Department.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000) for Town Officers' Salaries.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of three thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars ($3325) for Street Lighting.

Voted, That the town pay the Water Department ten dollars ($10) each for ninety-eight (98) hydrants.
Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of nine hundred and eighty dollars ($980) for Hydrants.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150.) for Memorial Day.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand four hundred dollars ($1,400.) for Sewer Sinking Fund.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of eight hundred dollars ($800) for Soldiers' Relief.
Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of thirty dollars ($30.) for Military Aid.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250) for Fire Wardens.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) for Street Watering.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200) for interest on Cemetery Funds.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of two thousand six hundred and ninety dollars ($2690) for interest on Sewer Bonds.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents ($37.50) for interest on Library Note.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of three hundred and seventy-two dollars ($372) for interest on School Repair Notes.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of four hundred and twenty dollars and three cents ($420.03) for interest on School Loan, Act of '06, Notes.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars ($400) for interest on Library Building Fund Notes.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of three hundred and sixty-three dollars and eighty-nine cents ($363.89) for interest on Funded Debt.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of seven hundred dollars ($700) for interest on Temporary Loans.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000) for Loan of 1900.

Voted, That the Town appropriate the sum of Six thousand dollars ($6,000) for Town Library Act.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one Thousand dollars ($1,000) for School Fire Repair Act.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars ($1,750) for School Loan Act of '06.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of five hundred and twenty-one dollars and thirteen cents ($521.13) to defict on Eli Whitney School account.

Appropriations
under the Warrant were made as follows:

Fire Dept. Salaries		$1,612.50
Fire Dept. Expenses		1,000.00
Town Hall		1,000.00
Highways and Bridges ($3,892.06 St R.y. tax, Sal ($895.11))		$ 212.83
Pauper Dept.		3,500.00
Contingent		2,000.00
Library	Dog Fund and	1,000.00
Cemeteries		200.00
Board of Health		398.63
Schools		18,500.00
School Repairs		600.00
School Physician		100.00
Special School Repairs ($141.80 Sal School House Plans) and		258.20
Deficit on Eli Whitney School acct.		521.13
Police		1,200.00
Salaries Town Officers		2,000.00
Street Lights		3,325.00
Hydrants		980.00
Memorial Day		150.00
Sewer Sinking Fund		1,400.00
Soldiers' Relief		500.00
Tree Warden		250.00

Military Aid	30.00
Street Watering	200.00
Interest on Cemetery Funds	300.00
" " Sewer Bonds	2,690.00
" " Library Notes	37.50
" " School Repair Notes	372.00
" " School Loan, Act of '06, Notes	420.03
" " Funded Debt	363.89
" " Temporary Loans	700.00
Loan of 1900	2,000.00
Town Library Note	2,000.00
School House Repair Note	1,000.00
School Loan, Act of '06	1,750.00
Interest on Library Building Fund Notes	400.00
Gypsy Moths	300.00
	$55,471.71

Article 29. Voted, That the town appropriate and grant the sum of fifty-five thousand four hundred and seventy-one dollars and seventy-one cents ($55,471.71).

" 30 Voted, That the town permit the trustees of the public library to supply the new building with suitable furniture and equipments to fit it for occupancy, without expense to the town.

" 31 Voted, That the town authorize its trustees to install its public library in the new building whenever they shall consider it expedient to do so.

" 32 Voted, To pass over.

" 33 Voted, To pass over.

" 34 Voted, To pass over.

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 2.55 P. M.

Attest Stevens

Appointments for 1908

	Edward Halloran,	Registrar of Voters, 1908.
#	Thomas F. Treadway,	Sealer of Weights and Measures.
	William Wagner,	Chief of Police and Night Watch.
	John Dee,	Janitor Town Hall.
	John Dee,	Keeper of Lockup.
#	William F. Sullivan,	Superintendent of Streets.
#	Charles H. Reed,	Inspector of Animals.
#	P. C. Mooney,	Special Police.
#	M. J. Lyons,	
#	Eli Sanderson,	
#	James H. Butler,	Special Police at Hospital.
#	Leslie G. Jones,	
#	Wm. D. Atchinson,	
#	Arthur J. Melindy,	
#	M. L. Stacy,	
	James H. McDonald,	Fire Wardens and Engineers.
	John P. Crowe,	
	James P. Brady,	
	T. H. Hackett,	
	T. H. Treadway,	
	Thomas Hackett.	
#	Wm. E. Cheney,	Special Police for July 4th.
#	Frank Powers,	
#	T. H. Humphrey,	
#	Stephen McKay,	
#	Wm. Hayden,	
#	John Casey,	
#	Arthur L. Jones,	
	Harry Piper,	
	Charles Ewell,	
	M. H. Macker	
	Sarah Spurr	Trustee Public Library.
	George L. Ewell	Registrar of Voters.

Sworn

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester SS.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough, on Monday the thirteenth day of July 1908 at 7-45 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator.

" 2 To hear and act upon the reports of any outstanding committees.

" 3. To see if the town will appoint a committee to investigate and report at some future meeting on the best means and costs of increasing the water pressure for fire purposes, or act anything thereon.

" 4. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money sufficient to carry on the work of fighting the brown tail and gypsy moths and to purchase a spraying machine, or act anything thereon.

" 5 To see if the town will appropriate the receipts of the court for use of the Police Department.

" 6 To see if the town will appropriate a certain sum of money for Library Building fund account to complete the amount voted at a former meeting, or act anything thereon.

Article 7 To see if the town will authorize its Treasurer to borrow the sum of $2440. giving notes therefor, with interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum to pay for permanent improvements on School Buildings authorized by vote of the town at a previous meeting, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 8 To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money to finish filling in the old rail road bridge on Milk St., or act anything in relation to the same.

" 9 To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money to build a new bridge across the Assabet river on Belmont street, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 10 To see if the town will arrange that portion of the town hall building formerly occupied by the town library in a suitable manner for the meeting of Post 80 Grand Army of the Republic and grant the free use of the same to said Grand Army Post and its Auxiliary organization, the Women's Relief Corps, or act anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this Sixth day of July in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eight.

T. H. Reilly.
E. A. Lord.
George H. Rogers.
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester ss.

Westbow; July 6th 1908.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post office and town hall in said Westbow.

Wm. Wagner.
Constable of Westbow.

Westborough, Mass.
July 13, 1908

Meeting called to order at 7.45 P. M. by Town Clerk, Joseph S. Gates, who read the warrant

Under

Article 1. Warren P. Jackson was chosen Moderator.

" 2. Voted, To recommit the report of the Town Hall Committee and that the Committee be instructed to have the report printed in our local paper before being acted upon in any town meeting.

" 3 Voted, That the Moderator appoint a committee of five (5) and that they report at a later meeting.

Committee appointed:
Alden L. Boynton, George G. Genthner, James H. McDonald, M. H. Walker, Thomas H. Reilly

Voted 4 Voted, To appropriate the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars ($750.) for the purpose of lighting the town hall and engine houses

Voted, To appropriate the sum of eight hundred and fifty dollars ($850.) for the spraying machine.

" 5 Voted, That the town appropriate the receipts of the district court for use of the Police Department, and that the vote date back to the March meeting.

" 6 Voted, To passover.

" 7 Voted, That the Treasurer of the town with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of two thousand four hundred and forty dollars ($2440.) giving therefor notes therefor, one note for ($1000.) one thousand dollars, payable in 1910, and one note for ($1440.) fourteen hundred and forty dollars, payable in 1911, said notes to be designated Town of Westborough School Improvement Notes, with interest at a rate not exceding four per centum per annum.

Adjourned to Monday July 20, 1908 at 7.45 o'clock P. M.

Westboro, Mass. July 20, 1908

Town assembled as per adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator:

Article 8. Voted, To make no appropriation.

" 9. Voted, To appropriate twelve hundred dollars ($1200.) for the bridge across the Assabet river on Belmont street and that the Selectmen and the Finance Committee be the Committee to build a new bridge or repair the old one.

The Moderator appointed Thornton O. M. Fay on the Finance Committee to fill the vacancy caused by the death of M. J. Linnane.

" 10 Voted, That the town arrange the rooms in the Town Hall Building formerly occupied for library purposes in a suitable manner for the meetings of Post 80 Grand Army of the Republic, and grant the free use of the same to said Grand Army Post and its Auxiliary organization the Women's Relief Corps, and that the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.) be appropriated for the same.

That a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to carry this vote into effect.

Committee appointed;
J. W. Fairbanks, M. H. Walker, T. H. Reilly.

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 10 o'clock P. M.

In Board of Selectmen.

Westbow, Massachusetts, Aug. 8, 1908.

Voted: That The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

East Main Street, between the end of our present line and the residence of W. E. Chamberlain

Signatures of Selectmen { T. H. Reilly
[illegible]

We hereby certify that on Aug. 1st 1908, at 2 o'clock P. M. at the Selectmen's office a public hearing was held on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification [illegible] and that we mailed, at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the

owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

T. H. Reilly
E. A. Lord
Selectmen of Westboro.

Appointments for 1908

#	James Gale.	R R Special Police. R.R.
#	George H. Allen.	
#	Cleon C. Sweet	
	George Wilkins.	
#	Daniel Dawson.	
#	Wm. T. Kelleher.	
#	Wm. Bunker.	
#	George McCullough	

Office of Town Clerk.
Westborough, Mass.
Mar. 19, 1908

To Geneva A. Perry,-

In accordance with Section 62, chapter 25, R. L. you are hereby appointed assistant Town Clerk for the Town of Westborough, Mass., to take effect at this date.

[L.S]

Attest.

Joseph S. Gates
Town Clerk

#Sworn

Presidential and Gubernatorial Election 1908.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester SS.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in Westborough on Tuesday, the third day of November 1908 at 6 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles;

Article 1 To bring in on one ballot their votes for Electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

Governor of the Commonwealth.

Lieutenant Governor.

Secretary.

Treasurer.

Auditor.

Attorney General.

Representative in Congress for third District.

Councillor for the Seventh Councillor District.

Senator for the Fourth Worcester District.

Two Representatives in General Court for the Tenth Worcester District.

Register of Probate and Insolvency.

County Commissioner.

Associate County Commissioner.

County Commissioner to fill unexpired Term.

The polls shall remain open till 4. 15 o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office

and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-fourth day of October in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eight.

T. H. Reilly
E. A. Lord
George F. Rogers
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, SS.

Westboro October 26th 1908

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro

Wm. Magner.
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough, Mass.
November 3, 1908.

In pursuance with the foregoing Warrant the Inhabitants of the Town of Westborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in the Town Hall and were called to order at 6 o'clock in the forenoon by Thomas H. Reilly, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who proceeded to read the Warrant.

George F. Ewell, Wm. Halloran,
J. B. Putnam, J. R. J. W. Fay,

Ballot Clerks were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. The ballots were delivered to the presiding officer who gave his receipt thereof to the Town Clerk.

The Ballot Box was examined in the presence of the voters, found empty, was locked and the keys were given to Constable, Dexter P. Brigham.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and everything being in readiness the voting began.

E. E. Thomas, J. J. Lannon,
W. F. Sanford, J. F. Sullivan,
M. M. Rockwood, John Mathews,
John Britton, J. F. Logan,

were duly sworn as Tellers by the Town Clerk.

It was unanimously voted by the Election Officers [illegible] at the ballot box at 1.05 a. m.

306 At 9.05 A. M. the ballot box was opened and three hundred and six (306) ballots taken therefrom

451 At 11 A. M the ballot box was opened and one hundred and forty-five (145) ballots taken therefrom.

701 At 2 P. M. the ballot box was opened and two hundred and fifty (250) ballots taken therefrom.

787. At 3.30 P. M. the ballot box was opened and eighty-six (86) ballots taken therefrom.

823 At 4.15 P. M. the ballot box was opened and thirty-six (36) ballots taken therefrom.

At each of the above times after opening the ballot box and taking the ballots therefrom, the box was declared empty, locked, and the keys given to the Constable.

The presiding officer announced that eight hundred and twenty-three (823) ballots had been distributed and eight hundred and twenty-three (823) names had been checked on the list of voters used this day

The total number of ballots cast was 823.

After the ballots had been counted the result was declared and read by the presiding officer at 5.30 o'clock P. M. as follows.

For Electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

At Large.

Richard Olney of Boston had two hundred and seventeen	217
James E. Cotter of Hyde Park had two hundred and seventeen	217
Hervey S. Cowell of Ashburnham had twelve	12
John M. Fisher of Attleborough had twelve	12
Patrick Mahoney of Boston had eighteen	18
Eliot White of Worcester had eighteen	18
Thomas F. Brennan of Salem had none	[illegible]
Herman Noepke of Pittsfield had none	[illegible]
Michael C. O'Neill of Boston had thirty	30
William F. Aiken of Greenfield had thirty	30
John L. Bates of Boston had five hundred and five	505
August H. Goetting of Springfield had five hundred and five	505
Blanks had forty-one	41

District No. 1.

Luke J. Minahan of Pittsfield had two hundred and seventeen	217
Wilbur M. Purrington of Williamsburg had twelve	12
Henry O. Brigham of Westfield had eighteen	18
Henry Noffke of Holyoke had none	[illegible]
Simon J. Griffin of West Springfield had thirty	30
Charles S. Shattuck of Hatfield had five hundred and five	505
Blanks	41

District No. 2.

Theobald M. Connor of Northampton had two hundred and seventeen	217
Oliver W. Cobb of Easthampton had twelve	12
Alva E. Fenton of Springfield had eighteen	[illegible]

District No. 2 Continued.

Fredrick A. Nagler of Springfield had [illegible]

Charles F. Warner of Northampton had thirty. 30

Almond Smith of Athol had five hundred and five 505

Blanks. 41

District No. 3.

John O'Gara of Spencer had two hundred and seventeen. 217

Chresten Peterson of Worcester had twelve [illegible]

James Cronin of Worcester had eighteen [illegible]

Gustave S. Peterson of Worcester had none [illegible]

William Crosbie of Worcester had thirty 30

Frank Hartley of Webster had five hundred and five [illegible]

Blanks. [illegible]

District No. 4.

Charles A. Babbitt of Fitchburg had two hundred and seventeen. 217

Quincy Adams of Townsend had twelve 12

Timothy Richardson of Leominster had eighteen [illegible]

James Hayes of Leominster had none [illegible]

William A. Pierson of Hudson had thirty 30

Allan G. Buttrick of Lancaster had five hundred and five [illegible]

Blanks [illegible]

District No. 5.

Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lowell had two hundred and seventeen [illegible]

John B. Lewis, Jr. of Reading had twelve [illegible]

William E. Sproule of Lowell had eighteen [illegible]

Gilbert G. Smith of Lawrence had none [illegible]

Michael A. Lee of Lowell had thirty [illegible]

James P. Berwick of Methuen had five hundred and five [illegible]

Blanks [illegible]

District No. 6.

William Stopford of Beverly had two hundred and seventeen 217

Robert M. Martin of Salem had twelve 12

John Quincy Adams of Amesbury had eighteen 18

Jeremiah P. McNally of Salem had none 0

Roland D. Sawyer of Haverhill had thirty 30

Ulysses G. Haskell of Beverly had five hundred and five 505

Blanks 71

District No. 7.

Dennis F. Tyrrell of Chelsea had two hundred and seventeen 217

Jonathan S. Lewis of Stoneham had twelve 12

Ambrose Miles of Lynn had eighteen 18

Michael J. Quirk of Saugus had none 0

George W. Casavant of Saugus had thirty 30

Charles N. Barney of Lynn had five hundred and five 505

Blanks 41

District No. 8.

Warren T. Morse of Medford had two hundred and seventeen 217

Alfred A. Wright of Cambridge had twelve 12

Clayton S. Hunt of Somerville had eighteen 18

Andrew Mortenson of Somerville had none 0

Grenville S. Mac Farland of Cambridge had thirty 31

John Read of Cambridge had five hundred and five 505

Blanks. 71

District No. 9.

William F. McClellan of Boston had two hundred and seventeen 217

Charles E. Eaton of Boston had twelve 12

Samuel Gore of Boston had eighteen 15

District No. 9. Continued

Joseph C. Dunnack of Boston had none 0
James P. Hayes of Boston had thirty 30
Jerome A. Petitti of Boston had five hundred and five 505

Blanks 41

District No. 10.

William T. Shea of Quincy had two hundred and seventeen 217
Moses D. Boorse of Milton had twelve 12
A. Hale Kingsley of Quincy had eighteen 18
Andreas A. Madsen of Quincy had none 0
Charles O. Power of Boston had thirty 30
Milton C. Paige of Boston had five hundred and five 505

Blanks 41

District No. 11

Josiah Quincy of Boston had two hundred and seventeen 217
Solon W. Bingham of Boston had twelve 12
George F. Hatlin of Boston had eighteen 18
Patrick Mulligan of Boston had none 0
John A. Coulthurst of Boston had thirty 30
James N. Thompson of Boston had five hundred and five 505

Blanks. 41

District No. 12.

Jeremiah J. Comba of Milford had two hundred and seventeen 217
Nicholas B. Johnson of Milford had twelve 12
Michael E. Moore of Newton had eighteen 18
Carl S. Fredrikson of Hyde Park had none 0
Eugene L. Murphy of Norwood had thirty 30
Jesse D. Riley of Brookline had five hundred and five 505

Blanks 41

District No. 13

John W. Coughlin of Fall River had two hundred and seventeen 217

David Morrison of Fall River had twelve 12

William Ahnesorge of New Bedford had eighteen 18

Dennis McGoff of New Bedford had none 0

Matthew Hart of New Bedford had thirty 30

Benjamin F. Anthony of New Bedford had five hundred and five 505

Blanks 41

District No. 14.

Charles C. Paine of Barnstable had two hundred and seventeen 217

Herbert L. Chipman of Sandwich had twelve 12

George C. Braden of Brockton had eighteen 18

Charles F. Torrey of North Attleborough had none 0

Herbert E. Bryant of Kingston had thirty 30

Alfred B. Williams of Taunton had five hundred and five 505

Blanks 41

For Governor.

James F. Carey of Haverhill had twenty-one 21

Eben S. Draper of Hopedale had four hundred and fifty-nine 459

Walter J. Hayes of Worcester had three 3

William B. Osgood of Lowell had forty-four 44

James H. Vahey of Watertown had two hundred and thirty-four 234

Willard O. Wylie of Beverly had twelve 12

Blanks. 50

Lieutenant Governor

Charles J. Barton of Melrose had one hundred and ninety-eight	198
Joao Claudino of New Bedford had six	6
Louis A. Frothingham of Boston had four hundred and seventy-one	471
John Hall Jr. of West Springfield had twenty-two	22
Robert J. McCartney of Kingston had thirty-five	35
Frank N. Rand of Haverhill had fifteen	15
Blanks	76

For Secretary

James F. Aylward of Cambridge had one hundred and sixty-three	163
Herbert B. Griffin of Boston had seventeen	17
George Nelson of Boston had seven	7
William M. Olin of Boston had four hundred and eighty-nine	489
Squire E. Putney of Somerville had seventeen	17
John F. Williams of Waltham had twenty-eight	28
Blanks	102

For Treasurer

Charles E. Butterworth of Somerville had thirty	30
Arthur B. Chapin of Holyoke had four hundred and seventy-six	476
Henry C. Hess of Boston had four	4
Charles E. Hitchcock of Ware had nineteen	19
Edward Kendall of Cambridge had fifteen	15
Erwin F. Kennedy of Pittsfield had one hundred and sixty-six	166
Robert Cox of Westborough had one	1
Blanks	112

For Auditor.

Frank [illegible] of Boston had two 2
John E. Dempsey of Fall River had twenty-six 26
George G. Hall of Boston had twenty-four 24
Wilbur D. Moon of Lynn had seventeen 17
Henry E. Turner of Malden had four hundred and seventy-five 475
Simeon Viger of Lawrence had one hundred and fifty-one 151
Blanks. 128

For Attorney General

Henry M. Dean of Hyde Park had eighteen 18
Elliot C. Harding of Tisbury had two 2
Dana Malone of Greenfield had four hundred and sixty-five 465
John McCarty of Abington had twenty-two 22
Richard J. Talbot of Springfield had twenty-eight 28
John Alden Thayer of Worcester had one hundred and eighty-nine 189
Blanks. 99

For Representative in Congress - Third District

William T. McLoughlin of Worcester had one hundred and eighty-nine 189
Theodore P. Sturtevant of Webster had thirty-four 34
Charles G. Washburn of Worcester had four hundred and eighty-nine
Blanks. 111

For Councillor - Seventh District

J. Lovell Johnson of Fitchburg had four hundred seventy-three 473
Arthur E. Seagrave of Uxbridge had one hundred and seventy-seven 177
Blanks 173

For Senator - Fourth Worcester District.

George F. Birch of Milford had four hundred and twenty-two 422

John F. Meaney of Blackstone had two hundred and thirty-seven 237

Appleton P. Williams of Upton had one 1

Joseph S. Gates of Westborough had one 1

Blanks. 162

For Representatives in General Court

Tenth Worcester District.

George A. Corey of Clinton had one hundred and fifty-eight 158

Joseph S. Gates of Westborough had five hundred and sixty-seven [illegible]

David Hinds of Northborough had one hundred and seventy-seven [illegible]

George Knorr of Clinton had thirteen 3

Robert Lawrance of Clinton had twelve 2

Amos T. Saunders of Clinton had four hundred and thirty-five [illegible]

James Reddy of Westbow had one 1

Blanks 283

County Commissioner - Worcester

Warren Goodale of Clinton had five hundred and two. 502

Nicholas J. Mooney of Worcester had one hundred and eighty-five 185

Blanks 136

County Commissioner - Worcester.

(To fill vacancy)

Edward A. Harris of Worcester had one hundred and eighty-one 181

Arthur C. Moore of Southbridge had four hundred and ninety-one 491

Blanks 151

Register of Probate and Insolvency – Worcester County

John F. D. Hunt of Worcester had one hundred and eighty-four 184

John W. Peabody of Worcester had four hundred and ninety 490

Blanks 149

Associate Commissioner – Worcester.

(To fill vacancy)

Thomas C. Sheldon of Fitchburg had five hundred and twenty six 526

Thomas F. Reilly of Westborough had one 1

Blanks 296

After the declaration of the result of the voting, the ballots used and unused together with the check lists were sealed and attested by the Electe... Officers and delivered to the Town Clerk in accordance with the statutes.

The presiding officer accordingly declared the meeting dissolved.

Office of Selectmen.
Westborough, Mass.
September 16, 1908.

To Joseph S. Gates,# –

You are hereby appointed Collector of Taxes for the Town of Westborough to take immediate effect, for the unexpired terms of 1902-3-4 and 5 of George L. Smith, resigned.

T. H. Reilly,
Geo. H. Rogers,
E. A. Loud.
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Sworn by (illegible)

In Board of Selectmen.

Westboro, Massachusetts, Jan. 18, 1909.

Voted: That The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted, to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to;

High Street, from the end of our present line to the residence of Mr. F. W. Forbes.

Signatures of Selectmen: { T. H. Reilly
E. A. Ford.

We hereby certify that on Dec. 26, 1908 at 2 o'clock P.M. at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways

upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification. -

T. F. Reidy
E. A. Ford.
Selectmen.

Appointments Jan. 19, 1909

Special Railroad Police.

G. F. O'Brien.
Geo. L. Martin.
H. J. Miller.
M. C. Marshall.

Feb. 8, 1909

Special Railroad Police.

W. McGrath
T. L. Allen
W. G. Bruso
J. Blakeley
M. J. Moller
W. Anderson.

Westboro, Mass., Feb. 12, '09.

Mr. G. L. Gates
Clerk of the Town of Westboro.

Dear Sir: —

I herewith tender my resignation as Water and Sewer Commissioner, to take effect at the Annual Town Meeting in March 1909. I do this because I cannot give to the town the time it requires without neglecting My own business, and the next few years to come will require more time from the Sewer Commissioners than any time in the past, and the town should have some one on the board that is in town most of the time and could give this department the amount of time it will need.

Yours truly,
George L. Gentner

Commonwealth of

Statement of Votes for Representatives to

Names of Candidates	Residence	Boston	[illegible]
George A. Torcy	[illegible]	17	[illegible]
Joseph S. Gates	Westborough	[illegible]4	[illegible]
David Finds	Northborough	12	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	1	2
Robert Laurence	[illegible]	3	3
Amos T. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	14
James Reddy	[illegible]		
Blanks.		[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]		34[illegible]	230

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the [illegible] that the above is a true statement of the returns Representatives to the General Court, made to us

Clinton, Mass., Nov. 13th 1908.

Massachusetts.

General Court, Tenth Worcester District.

Boylston	Clinton	Northboro	Southboro	Westboro	West Boylston	Total
7	1102	69	66	158	31	1460
74	[illegible]	205	[illegible]	567	[illegible]	2195
9	837	108	71	177	19	1240
1	122	6	1	13		146
2	120	5	4	12		148
64	912	178	159	435	94	2040
				1		1
55	602	[illegible]	167	283	14	1419
212	4510	682	678	1646	346	8652

Tenth Representative District of Worcester County, certify of votes cast on the third (3) day of November 1905, for two by the Selectmen of the Towns in said District.

Frank H. Crossman, Town Clerk of Berlin.
Amory S. Haynes, Town Clerk of Bolton.
George T. Wright, Town Clerk of Boylston.
James H. Carr, Town Clerk of Clinton.
Francis M. Harrington, Town Clerk of Northboro.
Chas. H. Newton, Town Clerk of Southboro.
Joseph S. Gates, Town Clerk of Westboro.
William T. Holmes, Town Clerk of West Boylston.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester SS.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in Westborough on Monday the first day of March 1909 at 6.30 o'clock in the fore-noon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator.

" 2. To authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year beginning January 1st 1909, in anticipation of the collection of taxes of said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the town, but not exceeding the total tax levy for said year, giving the notes of the town therefor, payable within one year from the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid within the year of the present municipal year.

3 To see if the town will appoint a committee to consider appropriations for the ensuing year, and report at an adjourned meeting.

" 4 To bring in on one ballot their votes for the following officers: Moderator, Town Clerk, three Selectmen, one Assessor for three years, Collector of Taxes, one Overseer of the Poor, Auditor, three members of the School Committee, one member of the Board of Health, three Trustees of the Public Library, nine Constables, one Trustee of the Public Library for ten years, one Trustee of the Cemeteries, Treasurer, one Water Commissioner for three years, one Water

Commissioner for two years, one Sewer Commissioner for three years, one Sewer Commissioner for two years, one Sinking Fund Commissioner 3 yrs, Tree Warden and vote "Yes" or "No" on the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

Article 5. To choose all other necessary town officers.

" 6. To hear and act on the reports of the various town officers.

" 7. To hear and act on the reports of any outstanding committees.

" 8. To see if the town will accept the list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen.

" 9. To see if the town will print its warrants and the action taken thereon in the annual town officers' report.

" 10. To see if the town will print its Valuation and Tax Lists.

" 11. To see what disposition the town will make of its Dog Fund.

" 12. To see if the town will maintain a night watch.

" 13. To see if the town will refund the whole or any part of its Floating Debt.

" 14. To see if the town will light its streets by electricity or act anything in relation to the same.

" 15. To see if the town will instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ a superintendent for both departments.

Article 16 To see if the town will vote to appropriate any sum of money to be expended by the School Committee in carrying out the provisions of Chapter 502, Acts of 1906.

" 17 To see if the town will locate a small Electric Light on Myrtle street near the High School, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 18 To see if the town will appropriate money for the purpose of carrying on the work of destroying the Gypsy and Brown tail moths, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 19. To see if the town will fix the Salaries of it Town Officers for the current year, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 20. To see if the town will appropriate a necessary sum of money to repair the Town Hall so that it will comply with the State Law making it available for public use, or act anything in relation to the same

" 21 To see if the town will vote to build a new Town Hall, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 22 To see if the town will authorize the Sewer Commissioners to deepen and straighten the channel of the Assabet river from a point opposite the Sewer beds to a point where a lower level may be found in order to provide proper drainage for the meadows along the river in Westboro and Northboro, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 23. To see if the town will appropriate a certain sum of money not to exceed four thousand dollars ($4000.00) to carry out plans to deepen and straighten the Channel of the Assabet river as

as provided in preceeding article, or act anything in relation to the same.

Article 24. To see if the town will ratify the action of the Trustees of the Public Library in accepting the bequest of the late Ellen B. Finch, "To the Town Library in said Westboro, Two Thousand dollars ($2,000.00) to be known as the 'Lyman Belnap Fund'" the income only thereof to be used for the purchase of works of art, photographs, reproductions and books on these subjects not provided for from time to time by other funds, or act in relation to the same.

" 25 To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to carry out Chapter 42. Acts of 1884 authorizing towns to appropriate money for the purpose of erecting headstones or other monuments to the memory of persons who served in the military or naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary War, and for keeping in repair and decorating such monuments and the graves of such persons, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 26 To see if the town will vote to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to expend a sum of money not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000.00) to construct a proper jail or lock-up facilities, for at least twenty-five (25) persons of either sex arrested for any offense, in such a manner that no two persons shall be confined in any one cell at any one time; of these accomodations, separate cells and toilets to be maintained exclusively for the female sex, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 27 To see if the town will vote to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to employ a Matron at the police stations to care for any females arrested by the police, or

act anything in relation to the same.

Article 28 To see if the town will vote to authorize and instruct the Selectmen to employ at least two night police to be on duty every night in the year from 6 o'clock P.M. until 5 o'clock A.M.; also two police from 12 M until 6 P.M. and two police additional to patrol East Main Street and Lyman Street and the crossings of the electric car lines; also one police to patrol Mill Street and the crossings of the electric car lines; this police to be in uniform, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 29 To see if the town will discontinue electric lights on Post 51 F.C.H., or act anything in relation to the same.

" 30 To see if the town will appropriate money for the Fire Department Salaries and the same for the coming year.
To see what sums the town will appropriate for its Fire Department Incidentals, for the Town Hall, for its care of Highways and Bridges, for its Police Department, for its Contingent Expenses, for its Public Library, for the care of its Cemeteries, for its Health Department, for the support of its Public Schools, for its Police Department, for Salaries of its Town Officers, for Street Lighting by Electricity, for the payment of Interests, for Memorial Day, for Sewer Maintenance, for Sewer Construction Fund, for Water Sinking Fund, for Sidewalks and Crossings, for Soldiers Relief, for Military Aid, for Tree Warden, for Board of Health and for Street Watering.

31 To see if the town will appropriate money for current expenses and grant an amount sufficient to cover all appropriations made under this warrant.

Article 32 To see if the town will accept an act passed by the General Court Chapter 209 in the year nineteen hundred and eight, called, "An act to provide for the protection of the forests or sprout lands from fire.

The polls shall remain open until three o'clock in the afternoon at which time the time for closing may be fixed by vote.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twentieth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and nine.

T. J. Reilly
E. A. Lord.
George H. Rogers.
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss.

Westbor. Feb. 20th 1909.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westbor.

Wm. Magner.
Constable of Westbor.

Westborough, Mass.
Mar. 1, 1909.

In pursuance with the foregoing warrant the inhabitants of the Town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met at the Town Hall, and at 6.30 o'clock A. M., were called to order by the Town Clerk,

Article 1 Proceeded to ballot for Moderator. Warren P. Jackson had three (3) votes and was declared elected and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

" 2 Voted unanimously, That the Treasurer be, and hereby is authorized, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow during the municipal year Jan. 1, 1909 in anticipation of the collection of the taxes, the sum of forty thousand dollars ($40,000) giving notes of the Town therefor, payable within one year after the date thereof. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

3 Voted, That the Moderator appoint a Standing Committee on Finance consisting of seven members to serve until and including the next annual March meeting, to whom shall be referred for consideration and report all matters calling for appropriations by the Town. The committee chosen was as follows: C. F. Walker, Thornton L. Fay, R. H. Goodell, J. W. Slattery, Geo. H. Rogers, J. F. Reilly, and G. G. Genthner.

" 4 Voted, That the Town proceed to bring in on one ballot the following officers, viz.: Moderator, Town Clerk, three Selectmen, one Assessor for three years, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, one Overseer of the Poor for three years, Auditor, three members of the School Committee for three years, one member of the Board of Health for three years, three Trustees of the Public Library for

three years, nine Constables, one Trustee of the Public Library for two years, one Trustee of the Cemetery for five years, one Water Commissioner for three years, one Water Commissioner for two years, one Sewer Commissioner for three years, one Sewer Commissioner for two years, one Sinking Fund Commissioner for three years, Tree Warden, and vote "Yes" or "No" on the question "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

Ballot Clerks: J. P. J. W. Fay and Wm. Halloran.

Tellers: James T. Sullivan, H. W. Rockwood, John W. Brittan, J. F. Hogan, John Mathews, E. E. Thomas, Frank J. Fannon, S. A. Brigham, and Tellers in charge of Check Lists J. B. Putnam and W. L. Sanford. Constable, Wm. Sullivan.

Received from Town Clerk J. S. Yates twelve hundred (1200) Official Ballots and sixty nine (69) Women's Ballots.

Warren P. Jackson,
Moderator.

The ballot box was examined in the presence of the voters, found and declared empty, was locked and the keys given to the Constable, Wm. Sullivan.

The necessary ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks and every thing being in readiness, the voting began.

It was unanimously voted by the Moderator, Town Clerk and Election Officers to open the ballot box at 8.30 A. M., and as many times thereafter as necessary for the purpose of taking ballots therefrom to facilitate counting votes cast.

Voted, To close the polls at 4.30 P. M.

Voted, That when the meeting is adjourned, it be adjourned to March 15, 1909 at 9 o'clock A. M.

At 4.30 P.M. the polls were closed. The ballot box registered 980.

The Moderator announced that nine hundred and seventy-four (974) men's and six (6) women's ballots had been cast.

After the ballots had been counted, the result was declared at 9.15 P.M., as follows:

Town Officers.

Moderator

Warren P. Jackson had five hundred and twenty-two votes 522

Walter D. McCarthy had one hundred and forty-two votes 142

Blanks had three hundred and ten votes 310

Town Clerk.

Joseph S. Gates had seven hundred and two votes 702

Blanks had two hundred and sixty-nine votes 269

Scattering had three votes 3

Selectmen

John T. Brigham had six hundred and two votes 602

Harold G. W. Fay had six hundred and thirty-eight votes 638

Everett R. Lord had six hundred and twenty-six votes 626

Thomas F. Reilly had four hundred and thirty-four votes 434

Blanks had six hundred and eighteen votes 618

Scattering had four votes 4

Assessor, 3 years

Alfred F. Pratt had five hundred
and eleven votes 511

Fred P. Rogers had three hundred
and twenty-five votes 325

Blanks had one hundred and thirty-seven votes 137

Scattering had one vote 1

Treasurer

E. Clifford Gleason had two hundred
and one votes 201

Fay W. Kimball had six hundred votes 600

Blanks had one hundred and seventy-two votes 172

Scattering had one vote 1

Collector of Taxes

Joseph S. Gates had seven hundred and
twenty-one votes 721

Blanks had two hundred and fifty-one votes 251

Scattering had two votes 2

Overseer of Poor, 3 years.

William Wagner had six hundred and
eighty-eight votes 688

Blanks had two hundred and eighty-three votes 283

Scattering had three votes 3

Auditor

Lawrence F. Gates had five hundred
and ninety-three votes 593

Thomas A. Riley had two hundred and
forty-four votes 244

Blanks had one hundred and thirty-
seven votes 137

School Committee, 3 years.

Ernest V. Bingham had six hundred and nine votes 609

Daniel P. Cilley had five hundred and sixty-nine votes 569

John P. Crowe had four hundred and two votes 402

Arthur E. Fairbanks had five hundred and thirty-three votes 533

Blanks had eight hundred and seven votes 807

Scattering had two votes 2

Board of Health, 3 years

Alden L. Boynton had five hundred and fifty-five votes 555

Walter F. Mahoney had two hundred and fifty-two votes 252

Blanks had one hundred and sixty-seven votes 167

Trustees of Public Library, 3 years.

Frank W. Forbes had five hundred and thirty-four votes 534

Charles S. Henry had five hundred and seventy votes 570

Annie Keevan had two hundred and forty votes 240

Alice McKeon had two hundred and thirty-six votes 236

Walter C. Metcalf had five hundred and thirteen votes 513

Blanks had eight hundred and twenty-eight 828

Scattering had one vote 1

Trustee of Public Library, 2 years.

Sarah D. Spurr had four hundred and twenty-three votes 423

Blanks had five hundred and fifty-one votes 551

Constables.

Joseph E. Balcom had four hundred and eighty-five votes 485

Dexter P. Brigham had five hundred and sixty-one votes 561

John P. Crowe had five hundred and ninety-two votes 592

John Dee had six hundred and twenty-nine votes 629

John Ford had five hundred and fifty-two votes 552

William Wagner had six hundred and forty-one votes 641

James F. Mc Donald had six hundred and twenty-two votes 622

Henry F. Birney had six hundred and sixteen votes 616

John F. Nash had six hundred and twenty-nine votes 629

William J. Sullivan had five hundred and ninety-one votes 591

Blanks had two thousand eight hundred and thirty-four votes 2834

Scattering had fourteen votes 14

Trustee of Cemeteries, 5 years.

Edwin B. Harvey had five hundred and thirty-four votes 534

Edward H. Hinrichsen had one hundred and eighty-six votes 186

Blanks had two hundred and fifty-three votes 253

Scattering had one vote 1

Water Commissioner, 3 years.

Henry C. Fillmore had three hundred and eighty-four votes 384

Michael G. Mc Carthy had four hundred and twenty-nine votes 429

Blanks had one hundred and eighty votes 180

Scattering had one vote 1

Water Commissioner, 3 years.

Melvin F. Walker had six hundred
and twelve votes 612

Blanks had three hundred and sixty-one votes 361

Scattering had one vote 1

Sewer Commissioner, 3 years.

Henry A. Gilmore had three hundred and
seventy-three votes 373

Michael J. Mc Carthy had four hundred
and twenty-five votes 425

Blanks had one hundred and seventy-
five votes 175

Scattering had one vote 1

Sewer Commissioner, 2 years.

Melvin F. Walker had six hundred
and seven votes 607

Blanks had three hundred and sixty-seven votes 367

Sinking Fund Commissioner, 3 years.

Alden L. Boynton had five hundred
and seventy-two votes 572

[illegible] had one hundred
and eighty-eight votes 188

Blanks had two hundred and fourteen votes 214

Tree Warden

Charles A. Henry had six hundred
and twelve votes 612

Blanks had three hundred and
sixty-nine votes [illegible]

Scattering had three votes 3

License

Yes had three hundred and ninety-nine votes 399

No had five hundred and forty-four votes 544

Blanks had thirty-one votes 31

The ballots used and unused together with the check lists were sealed, attested by the election officers and delivered to the Town Clerk as the law directs.

Adjourned to Monday March 15, 1909 at 10 clock. A. M.

Westborough, Mass., March 15, 1909.

Town assembled per adjournment and was called to order by the Moderator.

Article 5 Under this article, officers were chosen as follows:

Fence Viewers

John T. Johnson # James B. Putnam
John W. Slattery

Measurers of Wood

Harry W. Kimball # Nathan M. Knowlton
John S. Nason.

Surveyors of Lumber

Harry W. Kimball # Nathan M. Knowlton
John S. Nason.

Public Weighers

Everett E. Butterfield # Frederick A. Pratt
Frederick W. Kimball.

Voted, That a Committee of five be appointed by the Moderator with instructions to consider the methods of the town in conducting its financial affairs, and to report its findings and recommendations to the town at a future meeting with a view to the adoption of safer, more economical and more business-like methods; and further it is voted that the Committee in the discharge of its duty shall have the right of access to the books of record and of

accountings of the several town boards and committees. Committee: M. H. Walker, C. S. Henry, T. H. Reilly, T. J. Hastie, W. H. Sanford.

Article 6 Voted, To accept the printed report of the Auditor and Town Officers.

" 7 The committee to see about additional water pressure was not ready to report.

" 8 Voted, To accept the list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen, except the names of Alexander Gauthier, James A. Kelley, Charles S. Marshall, and John Voze.

Allaire, Charles,
Archer, James,
Babcock, Erving W.,
Bates, Samuel A.,
Boland, James H.,
Bombard, Moses E.,
Bowman, Charles H.,
Brady, James H.,
Braley, Frank G.,
Brown, Joseph H.,
Burhoe, P. Franklin,
Buxton, Arthur H.,
Carrol, Thomas,
Casey, John W.,
Chase, Lot F.,
Cheeney, William,
Coggins, Clarence H.,
Comiskey, Mathew,
Coolidge, Victor,
Cox, Robert T.,
Craffey, John F.,
Daniels, Richard E.,
Devin, James,
Ewell, George,
Fairbanks, W. H.,
Falkner, Frank A.,
Ferguson, George A.,
Frost, William B.,
Galvin, Michael,
Gates, Joseph S.,
Gilmore, Edward T.,
Graves, E. Ellsworth,
Graves, Willard,
Green, Henry D.,
Hackett, Frank H.,
Hackett, Thomas H.,
Halloran, William J.,
Hannon, Frank,
Harvey, Arthur B.,
Hayden, J. F.,
Hayden, Timothy J.,
Hero, Butler W.,
Humphrey, Thomas W.,
Jackson, George J.,
Johnson, John T.,
Jourdan, Walter B.,
Kane, Michael J.,
Keaney, Charles H.,
Knowlton, Nathan W.,
Lamb, Frank C.,
Lawton, James E.,
Lebeau, Foster A.,
Marshall, Oscar A.,
Mathews, John,

McDonald, Arthur F.,
McHenry, Geo. A.,
McNeil, Joseph,
Meighan, Owen J.,
Mooney, Patrick E.,
Moore, John P.,
Murphy, Dennis F.,
Nash, John F.,
Nichols, Herbert F.,
O'Brien, Thomas,
Parker, Frederick T.,
Parker, Edmund
Penniman, William C.,
Perrin, Geo. H.,
Piper, Harry W.,
Puckett, Thomas W.,
Pratt, Frederick A.,
Reilly, Joseph F.,
Perene, William F.,
Roach, John F.,
Robinson, James D.,
Rockwood, Benjamin,
Rogers, Frederick P.,
Sampson, Asa S.,
Sanford, W. F.,
Sargent, Samuel O.,
Stone, Sandy A.,
Sullivan, William F.,
Sowbridge, Geo. W.,
Treadway, Thomas F.,
Tufts, A. E.,
Turner, Edward
Walker, George E.,
Walker, Irving E.,
Walker, M. F.,
Warren, Waldo H.,
Whittaker, Warren L.,
Wilson, Albert P.,
Winter, Frank W.,
Sanford, W. A.,

Article 9 Voted, To print the Warrants and the action taken thereon in the annual town officer's report.

" 10 Voted, To print the Valuation and Tax List.

" 11 Voted, That the Dog Fund be given to the Town Library.

" 12 Voted, That the town maintain a Night Watch.

" 13 Voted, To lay on the table.

" 14 Voted, That the Selectmen be instructed to ascertain by what right or authority the Westboro Gas & Electric Co. is conducting business in this town; and further to ascertain if the rates exacted of the town and of its inhabitants for electricity are excessive, or larger in excess of the rates paid by and in the surrounding

towns, and if found so to be, to determine what action if any, the town can take to remedy the evils of such location, and to effect the same, and to the town for its consideration as early as it is expedient so to do.

Voted, To refer to the Selectmen the whole matter of with the facts, to with full power to act and contract for the same.

Article 15 Voted, That the town instruct the Water and Sewer Commissioners to employ one superintendent for both departments.

" 16 Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars ($100) to be expended by the School Committee in carrying out the provisions of Chapter 502, Acts of 1906.

Article 17 Voted, That the town locate a small electric light on Myrtle street near the High School.

" 18 Voted, To appropriate the sum of six hundred and eight-four dollars ($684.05) for the purpose of destroying the Gypsy and brown tail moths.

" 19 Voted, That the salaries of the Town Officers be the same as in 1905.

" 20 Voted, That the Town Hall shall not be used for any meeting except for town business until the building is put in condition to meet the requirements of the Inspection Department of the District Police.

Voted, That the Selectmen be instructed to put the hall in such repair as to meet the requirements of the Inspection Department of the District Police, the cost not to exceed Three Thousand dollars ($3,000), and to appropriate three thousand dollars ($3,000) for the same.

21 Voted, To pass over.

Article 22 Voted, That the subject matter of Article 22 be referred to a committee consisting of the Sewer Commissioners and three citizens to be appointed by the Moderator, for investigation and report, and that said committee be authorized to employ an Engineer if necessary.
Committee appointed: Ira Beaman, Melvin Walker, Michael McCarthy, Alden L. Boynton, (declined John L. Bingham), Thomas H. Reilly, Alfred F. Lovell.

" 23 Voted, To pass over.

" 24 Voted, To ratify the action of the Trustees of the Public Library in accepting the bequest of the late Ellen B. Winch, "To the Town Library in said Westboro, Two Thousand dollars ($2,000.00) to be known as the "Lyman Belnap Fund" the income only thereof to be used for the purchase of works of art, photographs, reproductions and books on these subjects not provided for from time to time by other funds.

" 25 Voted, That the town appropriate one hundred dollars ($100) to carry out Chapter 42 Acts of 1884 and that it choose a committee of three persons, to be appointed by the Moderator to expend said appropriation under the direction of the Trustees of Cemeteries.
Committee: M. H. Walker, Mrs. Grace Bates, A. C. Stearns.

" 26 Voted, To pass over.

" 27 Voted, To pass over.

" 28 Voted, To pass over

" 29 Voted, To pass over.

" 30 Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) for Fire Department Incidentals.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand six hundred and twenty five dollars ($1625.00) for Fire Department Salaries. That the town pay 33 firemen twenty-five dollars ($25) each and five engineers fifty dollars ($50) each.

Voted, That the town appropriate three hundred and twenty dollars ($320.00) for Relining Hose.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1000) for Town House.

Voted, That the town appropriate seven hundred and ninety-three dollars and seven cents ($793.07) for Highways and Bridges.
That the town use the street railway tax, four thousand one hundred and eight dollars and one cent ($4108.01) and balance from Highway Department ninety-eight dollars and ninety-two cents ($98.92) for its Highway Department.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2500) for its Pauper Department.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1500) for Contingent Expenses.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one thousand nine hundred and eighty-two dollars and twenty-three cents ($1982.23) and the Dog Fund for the Public Library.

Voted, That the town appropriate the annual receipts for its Cemeteries.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars ($300) for Board of Health.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of eighteen Thousand two hundred and twenty-five dollars ($18,225.00) for Schools.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of seven hundred dollars ($700.00) for School Buildings.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one Thousand dollars ($1,000.00) and the court receipts for its Police Department.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of two Thousand four hundred dollars ($2400.00) for Town Officers' Salaries.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of three Thousand dollars ($3,000) for Street Lighting.

Voted, That the town pay the Water Department ten dollars ($10) each for ninety-nine (99) hydrants. That the town appropriate the sum of nine hundred and ninety dollars ($990) for Hydrants.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150.) for Memorial Day.

Voted, That the town appropriate the [the] sum of one thousand four hundred dollars ($1400) for Sewer Sinking Fund.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of seven hundred dollars ($700.) for Sidewalks and Crossings.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of nine hundred dollars ($900.) for Soldiers' Relief.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200.) for Tree Wardens.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars ($200.) for Street Watering.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of eight thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars ($8750.) for Payment of Town Notes.

Voted, That the town appropriate the sum of six thousand one hundred and sixty dollars ($6160.) for Payment of interest.

Appropriations

under the Warrant were made as follows:

			$
Article 15	Gypsy or Brown-tail Moths		664.00
" 25	For erecting headstones, etc., to the memory of Revolutionary soldiers and sailors		100.00
	Fire Dept. Incidentals		1000.00
	Fire Dept. Salaries		1635.00
	Relining Hose		320.00
	Town Hall		1000.00
	Highways and Bridges, St. Py. Tax and		793.07
	Pauper Dept.		2500.00
	Contingent Expenses		1500.00
	Public Library, Dog Fund and		1982.23
	Board of Health		300.00
	Schools		
	Salaries	11,400.00	
	Transportation	2,525.00	
	Fuel	1,500.00	
	Janitors	1,200.00	
	Supt.	600.00	
	Supplies	800.00	
	Sundries	200.00	18225.00
	School Buildings		700.00
16	School Physician		100.00
	Police, Court receipts and		1000.00
	Salaries of Town Officers		2400.00
	Street Lighting		3000.00
	For use of Hydrants		990.00

Memorial Day	150.00
Sewer Sinking Fund	1400.00
Sidewalks and Crossings	700.00
Soldiers' Relief	900.00
Tree Warden	200.00
Street Watering	200.00
Town Hall Repairs	3000.00
Payment of Town Notes	8750.00
Payment of interest	6160.00
	59659.30

Article 31 Voted That the town appropriate and grant the sum of fifty-nine thousand six hundred and fifty nine dollars and thirty cents ($59659.30).

" 32 The whole number of votes cast was seventy one (71): seven (7) yes, and sixty-four (64) no.

Voted. That the following be copied in the records.

At a regular meeting of A. G. Biscoe Post No. 81, G. A. R. held on Monday evening February 15th, 1909, the following action was taken, viz.

That the thanks of this Post be and are hereby extended to the Citizens of the Town of Westboro for their extreme liberality and kindness to this organization in so conveniently arranging our present quarters and granting us the use of the same free of all expense.

This great favor convinces us that the services of the Comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic in preserving the Union during the dark days of the Civil War, are fully appreciated by our people.

The members of our organization are rapidly descending the slope of life. Our numbers are, year by year growing less. At such a time it is comforting thought that in our own community we have the good will and support of all.

For and in behalf of our auxiliary organization, the Woman's Relief Corps, composed of our wives and daughters, to whom you have granted the same

consideration, we extend our cordial appreciation.

Austin C. Stearns
Commander

R. O. Stockbridge
Adjutant

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 3.10 P.M.

attest—

Joseph S. Yates, Town Clerk

Appointments for 1909

#	John Mathews,	Registrar of Voters, 3 yrs.
"	Thomas H. Treadway,	Sealer of Weights and Measures.
"	John Dee,	Janitor of Town Hall
"	John Dee,	Keeper of Lockup.
"	William Magner,	Chief of Police and Night Watch.
"	A. B. Harvey,	Superintendent of Streets
"	John Fitch,	Inspector of Animals.
	J. Parker Fay	Special Police.
"	P. C. Mooney	
"	M. J. Lyons	
"	James A. Farquhar	
"	James H. Butler	Special Police at Hospital.
"	Warren Reid	
"	Wm. D. Atchinson	
"	A. J. Melindy	
"	M. L. Stacy	
	James H. McDonald	Fire Wardens and Engineers
	John P. Crowe	
	James P. Brady	
	Thomas H. Hackett	
	Thomas H. Treadway	
	Walter Sullivan,	Superintendent of Gypsy and Brown tail Moth W
#	Elmer Marker,	Special Police at Grafton Colony.
#	Thomas H. Treadway,	Constable.

Office of Town Clerk.
Westborough, Mass. Mar. 2, 1909

To Senera A. Perry, —

In accordance with Section 62, chapter 35, P. L. you are hereby appointed Assistant Town Clerk for the Town of Westborough, Mass., to take effect at this date:

[L. S.]

Attest Joseph S Gates
Town clerk

11 Gates Street,
Worcester, Mass.

Mr. J. S. Gates,
Town Clerk of Westboro.

Dear Mr. Gates: —

Owing to my removal from town, I hereby tender my resignation as a member of the School Committee.

Very truly
E. Milton Fisher.

April 16, 1909.

Apr. 22, 1909.

Thomas H. Reilly.
Dear Sir, —

At a joint meeting of the Selectmen and School Committee you were appointed a member of the School Committee for the unexpired term of Milton Fisher resigned.

Yours.
E. A. Lord.
Clerk, Board of Selectmen.

In Board of Selectmen.

Westford, Mass., May 8, 1909

Voted: That The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated. A plan of locations hereby granted is to be filed.

All constructions under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications. The poles shall be located between the traveled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified on this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

The following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Ruggles Street from end of our present line to the residence of P. W. York.

Signatures of Selectmen { J. L. Brigham
E. A. Lord.

We hereby certify that on May 8, 1909 at 2 P. M. o'clock at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to erect the

the lines of said Company under said specification.

J. L. Brigham.
E. A. Lord.
Selectmen.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in Westborough, on Tuesday the first day of June 1909 at 7-45 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To hear and act on the reports of any outstanding Committees.

" 2 To see if the town will vote to rescind the vote passed at the last annual meeting, by which the use of the Town Hall was forbidden for any but town purposes, so far as to allow the graduation and reception exercises of the High School to be held in the same, or act any thing in relation to the same.

" 3 To see if the town will vote to buy 22 acres of land that joins the Town Farm for two hundred dollars, or act any thing in relation to the same.

" 4 To see if the town will vote to appropriate money for the suppression of the Elm Tree Beetle, or act any thing in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days at least before the

day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-fifth day of May in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and nine.

J. L. Brigham
E. A. Lord
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, May 25th 1909.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Wagner
Constable of Westboro.

Westborough Mass.

June 1, 1909

Meeting called to order at 7-45 P.M. by Moderator, Warren P. Jackson, who read the warrant.

Article 1 — Under
Voted, To pass over.

" 2 — Voted, To rescind the vote passed at the last annual town meeting by which the use of the Town Hall was forbidden for any but town business, and voted to allow the graduation and reception exercises of the High School to be held in the same.

" 3. — Voted, To pass over.

" 4 — Voted, To refer the matter to the Tree Warden with power to contract for spraying the trees;

expense to be paid from the Contingent Fund.

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 8.30 o'clock P.M.

Attest—

Joseph S. Gates
Town Clerk

Appointments Apr. 3, 1909

# W. McGrath # F. S. Allen # W. G. Bruce # L. Blakeley # M. J. Moller # W. Anderson	Special Railroad Police.
Henry Green Mortimer Rockwood # Stephen McKay Frank Powers Thomas Humphrey	Special Police for July 4th

Aug. 6, 1909

E. A. Hersey, Public Weigher

In Board of Selectmen.
Westboro, Mass. Sept. 4th 1909

Ordered:—

That permission be and hereby is granted the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts to lay and maintain underground conduits and manholes, with the wires and cables to be placed therein, under the surface of the following street:—

West Main Street from Summer Street 500' southerly.

Also that permission be and hereby is granted The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts to erect and maintain distributing poles, with the wires to be placed thereon, at suitable points in such portions of said street as may be occupied by conduits constructed under this order, and on any street intersecting any such portion of said street, at or near the point of intersection; also to lay and maintain underground conduits, manholes, cables and wires on the above or intersecting streets for the purpose of making connections with said poles and with existing poles it may desire to use for distributing purposes, and for making building connections with its said conduits, on the above or intersecting streets

The foregoing permission is subject to the following conditions:

1. The conduits and manholes shall be of such material and construction and all work done in such manner as to be satisfactory to the Board of Selectmen or to such officers as it may appoint to the supervision of the work, and a plan showing the location of conduits constructed shall be filed with the town after the work is completed.

2. Said Company shall file with the town its agreement to indemnify and save the town harmless against all damages, costs and expense whatsoever to which the town may be subjected as a consequence of the acts or neglect of said Company, its agents or servants, or in any manner arising from the rights and privileges granted it by the town.

3. In every underground conduit constructed by said Company one duct not less than three inches in diameter shall be reserved and maintained free of charge for the use of the fire, police, telephone and telegraph signal wires belonging to the town and used exclusively for municipal purposes.

4. In addition to such agreement, said Company shall before a street is disturbed for the laying of its wires or conduits, execute its bond in a penal sum of not less than five thousand dollars, (reference being had to bond already on file with said Town) conditioned for the faithful performance of said agreement and of its duties under this permit.

5. Said Company shall comply with the requirements of existing by-laws and such as may hereafter be adopted governing the construction and maintenance of conduits, poles and wires.

J. L. Brigham
E. A. Lord
} Selectmen of Weston, Mass.

We hereby certify that on Sept. 4th 1909 at 3 o'clock P. M., at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to lay and maintain underground conduits, manholes and connections, with the wires and cables to be placed therein, designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

J. L. Brigham
E. A. Lord
} Selectmen of Weston, Mass

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Westborough in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the town of Westborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in Westborough, on Wednesday the first day of September 1891 at 7-45 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1 To see if the town will vote to make certain alterations and additions to the Sewer Beds and Sewer System, as recommended in report and plans of J. J. Van Vleck, C. E., and approved by the State Board of Health, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 2 To see if the town will vote to adopt some other method to dispose of surface water now allowed in certain sections of the town to enter the sewer system, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 3. To see if the town will vote to authorize the issue of serial notes or bonds to an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000.00) or otherwise provide money to pay for additions and alterations to the Sewer Beds and Sewer System recommended to be constructed by the State Board of Health or act anything in relation to the same.

" 4. To see if the town will vote to extend Phillips street in an easterly direction to a point on Summer street at or near the junction of Winter street or take any other action whereby the same general purpose of connecting Milk street and Summer street at or near said points may be accomplished, or act anything in relation to the same.

Article 5. To see if the town will authorize its Selectmen to acquire in behalf of the town such land as shall be necessary to carry out such action as the town may take under the preceding article No. 4, or act anything in relation to the same.

" 6 To see if the town will appropriate any sum of money not exceeding one thousand thousand dollars ($1,000.00) to be expended by the Selectmen for the purposes called for by the two preceding articles No 4 and 5, or act anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Post-Office and Town Hall in said Town seven days, at least, before the day of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Westborough on or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-third day of August in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and nine.

J. L. Brigham
E. A. Lord
} Selectmen of Westborough.

Worcester, ss.

Westboro, Aug. 25th 1909.

I have this day served the within warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the post-office and town hall in said Westboro.

Wm. Magner.
Constable of Westboro.

Westboro, Mass
September 1, 1909

Meeting called to order at [illegible] P.M. by Moderator Warren P. Jackson, who read the warrant. Under.

Voted unanimously,

Article 1. That the report of the Special Committee on Sewer System be accepted and their recommendations adopted, that the Board of Sewer Commissioners be hereby authorized to expend at once a sum not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000.) in making such alteration improvements and additions to the sewers and sewer beds as are recommended in the report to the above committee by J. J. Van Valkenburg, C.E., said report and plans accompanying it having been approved by the State Board of Health, provided, however, that the Board of Sewer Commissioners may use a portion of said fifteen thousand dollars, said portion not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000) to make certain other improvements not contained in said plans but recommended by said Special Committee in order to provide better drainage for the sewer beds and the meadows adjacent thereto or below said beds, or otherwise to remove or abate any other objectionable conditions found to exist.

" 2. Voted, To refer the matter to the Selectmen for investigation and report at a subsequent town meeting.

Voted unanimously,

" 3. That for the purpose of paying for improvements to be made in the Sewer System under article 1 of the warrant for this meeting, the Town Treasurer with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen, is hereby authorized to borrow a sum not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) issuing in payment thereof notes of the Town dated Nov. 1, 1909, said notes to be designated "Westboro Sewer Improvement Notes", signed by the Treasurer and a majority of the Selectmen, and bearing interest at the rate of 4% per annum, payable semi-annually and payable one thousand dollars ($1,000.) in 1913 and one thousand dollars ($1,000.) annually there

after until the whole amount borrowed under this article is paid. Said notes to be disposed of at public or private sale and in such amounts and such times as the Selectmen and Treasurer shall deem expedient.

Article 4. Voted, To pass over.

" 5. Voted, To pass over.

" 6. Voted, To pass over.

Voted, That the meeting be dissolved at 8.25 P.M.

Attest

Joseph S. Soler
Town Clerk

In Board of Selectmen.
Westboro, Massachusetts, Sept. 16, 1909.

Voted: That The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated. A plan of locations hereby granted is to be filed.

All constructions under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and accross the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Charles St. from Main St. six poles.

Church St. one pole between Boardman and Phillips Sts.

Signatures of Selectmen { J. L. Brigham
E. A. Lord.

We hereby certify that on Sept. 15th 1909 at 3 o'clock P.M., at Selectmen's Room a public hearing was held on the petition of The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed at least three days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) abutting the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

J. L. Brigham.
E. A. Lord.
Selectmen.

Whereas by an order of the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Westboro, Massachusetts, dated September 9, 1909, permission has been granted to The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts to lay and maintain underground conduits and manholes, with the wires and cables to be placed therein, under the surface of West Main Street as referred to in said order, to which order reference may be had -

Now therefore, Know all men by these presents that said The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts, in consideration of the premises and in compliance with the terms and requirements of said order, doth hereby for itself and its successors and assigns, covenant and agree to and with the said Town of Westboro as follows. —

1. That said Company will indemnify and save harmless the said Town of Westboro against all damages,

costs and expense whatsoever to which the the Town may be subjected in consequence of the acts or neglect of said Company, its agents or servants, or in any manner arising from the rights and privileges granted it by the Town.

2. That said Company will before the street is disturbed for the laying of its wires or conduits execute its bond in a penal sum of five thousand 5,000) dollars, (reference being had to the bond already on file with said Town) conditioned for the faithful performance of this agreement and of its duties under said permit.

In Witness Whereof said The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts has caused these presents to be signed in its name and behalf by Francis R. Houston, its General Manager, and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed this twentieth day of September 1909.

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts,

By

Francis R. Houston,

General Manager.

Oath of office for Assessors.

I, having been chosen to assess taxes and estimate the value of property for the purpose of taxation for the town of Westborough for the year ensuing, do swear that I will truly and impartially, according to my best skill and judgment, assess and apportion all such taxes as I may during that time assess; that I will neither overvalue nor undervalue any property subject to taxation, and that I will faithfully discharge all the duties of said office.

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Upon receipt, this book was in its original cover. The hinges were broken and the spine adhesive deteriorated. The paper was acidic.

The book was dismantled and mended with Japanese tissue and methyl cellulose paste. All folios were treated with Wei T'o non-aqueous deacidifier. Weak folios were reinforced with Cerex nylon and Bostik web adhesive.

The book was resewn and backed with linen. Spine adhesive is hot animal glue. Cover material is goatskin and all boards and flyleaves are acid-free.